Today

Two Financial Items
Cardozo, Excellent Choice
Digging in to Die
John D.'s Philosophy

By Arthur Brisbane

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 16—In a fight for control of the Transamerica Corp., lineal descendant of the Bank of Italy, A. P. Giannini, who created the bank, won an overwhelming victory with more than 15,000,000 votes out of 24,000,000 cast. That interests East and West.

Another financial item. Thomas Fortune Ryan's property, left behind when he died in 1928, amounts to "only" $125,000,000. He used to say when alive, "The income tax has cut my fortune in two."

It is probable that 1929 cut it still more, since few escaped that slash.

A man of great energy was Thomas Fortune Ryan, knowing how to get control of properties and make them profitable for himself. The late J. P. Morgan said, "Ryan can be the richest man in the world if he wants to."

Mr. Ryan bought diamond mines in South Africa, brought the diamonds out by airplane, which disappointed would-be robbers, and knew how to pick good men for his work.

The possibility, suggested here, when Justice Holmes resigned that Judge Benjamin N. Cardozo might be chosen to succeed Justice Holmes, became reality yesterday when Judge Cardozo was appointed by the President.

He is a man of highest character, profound knowledge of law. His appointment will be approved universally, and the fact that he is of Jewish birth, the second of his race to be appointed to the Supreme Bench, interests many energetic Americans.

Japan continues sending more guns, men, airplanes, fighting ships, while an Associated Press dispatch from Shanghai tells how the Chinese pathetically "dig in to die." That sounds like the resignation of a race growing old. A younger race would "dig in" to make the Japanese sorry they ever came.

You don't know much about individuals or nations until you have seen them losing.

It is possible to be an excellent winner, following up advantages vigorously, and a poor loser, discouraged by defeat.

The Japanese since they became westernized or what we call "civilized" have not known defeat. They beat China with ridiculous ease, beat Russia, and are still bitter because Theodore Roosevelt as umpire did not give them all they had hoped for from Russia.

How will the Japanese take defeat? That remains to be seen, but there is every reason to suppose that they will take it calmly, as they have taken victory ditherto. Much depth to the Japanese character, and, as time goes in Asia, that race is young.

John D. Rockefeller, in good health again, tells reporters that follow him to church "you can say again—I am happy to be alive."

That is the statement of a philosopher. All that we get from this existence is "being alive."

Mr. Rockefeller is happier now than when giving hundreds of millions to education and science before he transferred the heavy load of his enterprises to the shoulders of his son.

Uncle Sam expects this week to "release" $750,000,000 "to help restore prosperity." If that money were distributed among families of six millions idle, the distribution would be called "Socialism paternalism" and that terrible thing a DOLE.

But, the money is going to banks and corporations, so it is not a dole, it is "intelligent financing."

You cannot, in the opinion of the best judges, distribute money with safety to individuals idle. They might get the habit of idleness and like it. And distributing money to corporations that employ labor, means giving work to those that need it, if the money is well used.

In any case, that is the kind of government, we have, a government BY organized money and largely FOR organized money.

Russia is trying to do the other thing, and this country is wishing her all possible bad luck.

If Russia should succeed and we, temporarily, should fail, that would be another story.

For a change, here is something to please the prohibitionist, tired of bootleg, speakeasy, and bribery narrations.

Mr. "Vic" Meyer, leader of a jazz orchestra, who wants to be mayor of Seattle, and rides on beer to help him, rode in his political parade on an old-fashioned beer wagon, drawn by four horses, loaded with empty kegs. The would-be mayor rode on the kegs. A wheel came off, the mayor fell out, the kegs on top of him, no serious damage done, but it did seem like a special Providence.

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DEATH BOMB IN POPE'S CASTLE

WEATHER
Fair and slightly warmer tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy, probably with rain or snow. Minimum temperature tonight near 28.
High tide 5:55 a. m.; 6:24 p. m.
Sun rises, 6:41; sets, 5:16.

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BOMBS, GUNS RAKE CHINA TROOPS

20 SEIZED IN PLOT ON PONTIFF'S LIFE

Police Unearth More Infernal Machines in Worker's Home at Villa in Gandolfo

Rome, Feb. 16 (INS)—Italian police today discovered a bomb in the Castel Gandolfo, the Papal villa 18 miles from Rome, which Pope Pius XI plans to visit in the near future when he makes his long-awaited exit from the Vatican.

Twenty workmen engaged in rebuilding the villa in preparation for the Pope's visit were arrested. Their homes were searched, and in one of them were found several infernal machines.

The arrests were made as a result of information received by Italian police that several suspected Communist agitators were among the workmen.

The Castel Gandolfo, a historic structure, has long been Vatican property. It has not been used in almost 70 years by any Pontiff, as up until three years ago, when the Lateran treaties between church and state were signed, the popes remained in the Vatican as voluntary prisoners.

The Pope has long been expected to celebrate his "liberation" from the Vatican by journeying to Gandolfo for a brief vacation.

He has made one or two brief trips outside the confines of the Vatican since the signing of the treaties, but they have always been carried out with utmost secrecy.

Police and Vatican authorities are co-operating in an exhaustive investigation into the mysterious placing of the bomb in St. Peter's, possibly at the time Premier Mussolini appeared there after his visit to the Pope or before the Pontiff said his 10th anniversary mass last week.

The bomb was removed Saturday after authorities were informed of it through a mysterious cablegram from the United States.

Pope Thanked by Duce's Daughter for His Prayers

Vatican City, Feb. 16 (AP)—During their talk Thursday, it was learned today Pope Pius told Mussolini he had been praying for the premier's daughter, Edda, and her husband, Count Galeazzo Ciano, Italian consul general at Shanghai.

The premier thanked him and informed His daughter of the incident. Today the Pontiff received a cablegram from the couple in China thanking him for his prayer.

Warship Saves 9 on Crippled Plane

Rome, Feb. 16 (AP)—Seven passengers and two pilots were rescued from a twin-motored Italian seaplane 50 miles off Malta today by the British destroyer Brilliant.

Both the plane and its occupants were taken to Malta by the destroyer, which had been called by wireless. The seaplane had alighted in the ocean to repair a motor and was unable to take off because of the heavy sea.

Good News

In the Day's News

(Further details elsewhere in this edition.)

KROGER Grocery chain announces past year's earnings as $2,731,128 against $2,168,247 in previous year.

G. A. HORMEL & Co. reports operations are profitable for first quarter of new fiscal year.

INCREASE in price of red metal is made by Copper Exporters, Inc.

Actress Passes

Mrs. Minnie Maddern Fiske, one of America's foremost actresses, whose death was announced today in New York.

DEATH COMES TO MRS. FISKE

New York, Feb. 16 (INS)—Mrs. Minnia Maddern Kiske, one of America's most noted actresses, died yesterday afternoon on Long Island, it was announced today in the home of her husband, Harrison Grey Fiske.

She had been ill for three months.

The veteran actress died in Hollis, Queens in the home of a friend. Heart disease was given as the immediate cause of her death. A bloodclot formed on her heart after she had been under treatment for a long period for auto-intoxication.

The body was brought here for cremation.

Mrs. Fiske's husband said the actress had been given him specific instructions as to her funeral.

"There will be no public funeral," he said. "Mrs. Fiske's instructions will be followed to the letter."

Fiske said his wife was thought by friends to have shown considerable improvement in health recently and her death came as a shock and a surprise.

Lenox Woman Dies in Southern Home

Aiken, S. C., Feb. 16 (AP)—Mrs. Giraud Foster, 74, of Lenox, Mass., winter resident of Aiken, died in her home here early today after several days' illness.

She was formerly Miss Jean Van Nest of New York and California. Surviving are Mr. Foster, retired business man, and one son, Giraud Van Nest Foster of New York.

New Post Cuts Pay of Judge Cardozo

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 16.—In moving from the state court of appeals to the United States Supreme Court, Judge B. N. Cardozo will take a cut in salary.

As chief judge in New York his salary is $22,500, with an additional $3000 per year in lieu of expenses. Associate justices of the Supreme Court are paid $20,000.

Strange Drug Killed Brookline Girl

ETHER FOUND NEAR HOAX VICTIM

Narcotic Traced to Berlin; 4 Nations Join Inquiry; Mystery May Be Solved Tomorrow

Drugs were found today in the body of Elizabeth Barrett Cook.

A report from Gibraltar, where the mystery of the beautiful young Brookline girl's death while en voyage from Naples to Boston is under investigation, disclosed that a powerful narcotic of German manufacture was shown by a chemical analysis of her organs.

The same dispatch revealed that a quantity of concentrated ether was found near her body in her cabin on the liner, Chinese Prince, shortly before the ship docked at Gibraltar on February 7.

TRACE DRUG IN BERLIN

A small bottle containing tablets of the narcotic, and bearing the label of a Berlin chemist, was near the ether in the cabin.

British authorities have cabled from Gibraltar to Berlin in an attempt to trace the purchaser of the drug.

The finding of the drug is believed to indicate that Miss Cook died from an administration of the narcotic, but how she died and what connection her death had with the presence in her handbag of the hoax message announcing the death of her Boston fiance, St. George T. Arnold, remained as great a mystery as ever.

Arnold said he never knew Miss Cook to use drugs in any form. He believes the tablets found may have been a sleeping potion and that, by accident, she may have taken an overdose.

Advices from Gibraltar made known for the first time the tragic drama attending efforts to save Miss Cook's life after she had been found dying in her cabin.

NO DOCTOR ON BOARD

Capt. Uncles of the Chinese Prince testified at the Gibraltar inquest that Miss Cook had appeared to be in good health during

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Wales to Teach His Nephews Boxing

London, Feb. 16 (AP)—The Prince of Wales is going to teach gymnastics and the art of self-defense to his nephews, Lord Lascelles, 9, and Hon. Gerald Lascelles, 7.

Two gymnasiums and a full-sized boxing ring have been built in the boys' new home.

Mussolini Niece Hurt

Milan, Italy, Feb. 16 (AP)—Premier Mussolini's niece, Rosina, only daughter of the late Arnaldo Mussolini, was seriously injured yesterday when her automobile skidded on an icy road.

COOK CALLED BY JURY IN BANK PROBE

Grand Jury Orders Secretary of State to Produce Files in Inquiry Into Crash

Secretary of State Frederic W. Cook was ordered today by the Suffolk County grand jury to bring before it corporation papers on file in his office and which have an alleged connection with the Industrial Bank & Trust Co. investigation.

Appearance at the State House of Police Inspector Martin Conroy with a grand jury summons caused a stir, in view of charges made by Asst. Dist.-Atty. John J. Murphy that was "going through" with the probe, regardless of what officials it hit.

The excitement subsided somewhat, however, when it was learned that all that was wanted this time were records of the Susquehanna Public Utilities Co. and Standard Shares, with both of which the Industrial is reported to have had many transactions.

Murphy charges that the affairs of the Industrial were the "rottenest mess" he had ever seen and that conditions never could have existed if state officials had done their sworn duty. He said he had been hampered in obtaining certain records.

He interrupted the testimony of Miss Marion Pike, a secretary in the office of Eaton & McKnight, to have the summons issued for the secretary of state's files. Stock in the closed bank owned by this firm is said to have been held in the name of Miss Pike and Miss Vera Stanton, another employe.

Willing to go before the jurors at the time was Frederick D. Bonner, legal adviser to Bank Commissioner Arthur Gay.

Recount Is Denied Wolf in Brookline

Meyer J. Wolf, defeated in the Brookline citizens' caucus by Walter Cusick by a vote of 1422 to 1253, has been denied a recount by the board of registrars.

Wolf later gave out a statement and informed Town Clerk Fred H. Richardson he would file a bill in equity to stop the placing of armed caucus nominee's name with the designation after the name of Walter J. Cusick until the court renders a decision.

Pajama-Clad Man, 70, in Long Hike

Clad only in pajamas with the mercury near zero, Frank A. Moran, 70, of Mill ave., Cambridge, walked into a filling station at Somerville ave. and Cragie st., Somerville, early today.

Inquiry by police revealed that Moran had walked from his home in Cambridge "more than a mile away." Moran, wrapped in blankets was later taken by police to his home.

Eaton Burial Put Off for Widow's Arrival

Mrs. Robert E. Eaton, widow of the vice-president of the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Boston, who died suddenly last Sunday in his Boston home, is hurrying from Florida to be present at his funeral.

The burial service is being delayed for her arrival, which is expected this afternoon.

Australia to Pay

Canberra, Australia, Feb. 16 (AP)—The commonwealth government of Australia will send tomorrow to New York and London the overdue interest on loans to the government of New South Wales on which the state government defaulted.

DARES ICY DEATH AT 74

Peter W. O'Brine, 74, of Dorchester, who jumped into icy waters of harbor last night to rescue Miss Irma Yeaton, 21, of Lynn, who slipped on wharf and fell overboard.. O'Brine's act made him a hero to everyone but his wife. "The very idea," said the latter when told of her aged husband's heroics. "Why, he's too old for such things. He's apt to catch his death of cold." But, at that, she said it with a proud little smile.

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EMPTY AUTO IN WILD PLUNGE

Nelson Mottola of 100 Bayswater st., East Boston, went for a ride today with his big sedan—but not the way he expected.

When the ride was over, Mottola had a badly scratched face and head, eight feet of telegraph pole were missing at the top, a guy wire to the pole was snapped and Mottola's car was resting at the water's edge on the beach.

Mottola failed to pull the handbrake up far enough after he backed his car out of the garage and went to close the garage doors. The sedan rolled across the street and plunged over the embankment down to the beach, snapping the telephon guy-wire on the way.

Mottola's efforts to halt the car by clinging to the rear were futile, and when the wire snapped, the jagged ends whipped across his face and head.

Promised Snowfall Off Till Tomorrow

Slightly postponed, the promised snow is now scheduled for some time Wednesday—only it may be rain instead. At any event there will be a northeast wind, according to the weather sharps, and meantime the mercury will climb slowly.

It got down to 11 degrees at 6 o'clock this morning, which was officially the coldest of the whole night.

The temperature was zero this morning in Bedford, 4 above at Lexington and 5 at Concord. This is the first winter Concord has not had zero temperature. Workmen are cutting seven-inch ice in that vicinity.

Five Killed in Indian Riot

Bombay, India, Feb. 16 (AP)—Five persons were killed today when police fired on crowds of members of the Nationalist Congress in Thana and Tarapur, near here.

TROOPS GUARD IRISH POLLS

Dublin, Irish Free State, Feb. 16 (AP)—Civil guards reinforced troops for a heavy turnout of voters, who will decide today whether they will return President William T. Cosgrave to power or put in his stead the stormy Eamon De Valera and his Fianna Fail.

Tension at the polls was intensified on account of two assassinations and an attempted murder on the closing days of the campaign. Two government supporters were slain while delivering political addresses, and a government candidate was fired on.

The presence of guards and troops was intended as insurance against intimidation and no further trouble was anticipated, authorities said.

The bitterness of the closing days of the campaign and fine weather brought large crowds to the polls beginning at 9 a. m., and a bigger vote than the 70 per cent of registration at the last election was indicated.

Cosgrave forces had the advantage of a well-organized transport system to take voters to polling booths. De Valera issued a last-minute statement denying reports spread yesterday that, if brought to power, he would abolish the Irish Hospital sweepstakes.

Injured Fisherman Will Lose One Foot

Amputation of the left foot is necessary to save the life of Reginald T. Geddes, 41, married, of 202 Crescent st., Beachmont, a fisherman brought ashore by coast guards last night, doctors at Chelsea Marine Hospital stated today. Geddes' foot was crushed aboard a trawler on the fishing banks.

BALANCES AND RECEIPTS

Washington, Feb. 16—Today's Treasury balance, $361,875,407; U. S. customs receipts, $10,682,235.

BIG DRIVE IS NEAR, BOTH ARMIES READY

35,000 to 50,000 Men Lined Up for Desperate Battle at Shan

BULLE

Shanghai, China, (AP)—Japanese air ... high over the Kia... between Shanghai ... this afternoon s... body of Chinese ... ing cavalry, mo... front lines.

Quickly the plan... to the Hongkew ... few minutes Jap... was cutting the ... to pieces.

By DIXON
International News Service Staff Correspondent

Shanghai, (INS)—Two explosions in district started day of tense... as both Chinese and Japanese forces ... for the long-... eral Japanese ...

Both sides ... their forces wi... rapidity, eacl... seeking to blo... plans.

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Revere Firemen Save 'Canned Cat' From Death in Creek

The lassoning training of Revere policemen bears not of the Class AA variety. Revere firemen rescued a "canned" cat today from the thin ice skimming Snake Creek between Chelsea and Revere.

While some of the boys overseas may have hinted that their canned "monkey meat" was canned cat or something worse, this cat merely had its head in an empty can and couldn't get out.

In fact, there were two cats with their heads in cans when Motorcycle Officers Leon Ridlon and Al Seavey answered the first alarm; but in the interim between their unsuccessful attempts to lasso the cats and then seeking aid Ladder 2 firemen, one of the felines released his head and scampered away.

Ladderman Charles E. Gilooley went out over a ladder spread across the ice and rescued the remaining cat, the can being removed at the station.

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VON WIEGAND FINDS CHINESE READY FOR "BIG PUSH"

BARRICADES ON SECOND LINE VERY STRONG

Troops Withdrawn, While Jap Shells Fall Harmlessly in "No Man's Land"

Karl H. Von Wiegand, noted World War correspondent, is now in Shanghai covering the Sino-Japanese conflict for Universal Service. His latest exclusive dispatch to the Boston Evening American follows:

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND
Universal Service Special Cable

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Shanghai, Feb. 16—The major "Battle of Shanghai" will take place, when the Japanese forces of close to 40,000 men are ready, along the second defenses of the Chinese 19th Route Army.

Karl H. Von Wiegand

The Chinese troops — a Cantonese army of tried and experienced soldiers —have already withdrawn to their second line of heavy, almost impenetrable barricades leaving well-concealed machine-gun nests in the no man's land the Japanese have been bombarding for two weeks in the belief their shells were blasting the Chinese front lines.

CHINESE PREPARED

Gen. Tsai Ting-Kai, commander of the Chinese, told me today his men all along the front from Chapei through Kiangwan to Woosung would resist any Japanese advance. Appearances indicate that the main resistance will be not at Chapei, but further west and north.

A tour of the Chinese lines revealed that the area of a half-mile east of the Chunshan road in Chapei, a week ago filled with Chinese troops, gun emplacements and patrols, is now practically deserted.

Only occasional soldiers are seen in the roads which formerly were the main lines of communication with the north station. The roads are now blocked by fantastic barbed-wire twisting around telephone poles, supported across the roads by beds, tables and chairs taken from deserted houses. The elaborate barricades are apparently impenetrable.

TROOPS CONCEALED

The camouflaged frontline of the Chinese is there, but the real front is the second-defense line, where scores of soldiers pass and redoubt. The troops are well-concealed and westward toward Chenju they are digging other defense lines commanding wide fields of fire.

The Japanese artillery batteries in Hongkew park are shelling the Chapei sector using tracer shells with the object of ferreting out the Chinese guns in their new positions. Foreign observers regard this as a prelude to a bombardment by siege guns.

A visit to the Woosung forts shows that their interiors are badly battered as the result of the Japanese aerial and naval bombardment, but the Chinese troops are still in use. They have artillery pieces on hand to combat the Japanese shellfire and to lay a barrage for the defenders along Woosung creek.

Capt. Mayer, assistant American military attache, was at headquarters when I visited Gen. Tsai. The Chinese were anxious over the eight additional troopships which landed soldiers on Chinese territory Monday.

Asked what were his prospects for a further stand against the Japanese, Col. Tung of Gen. Tsai's staff declared:

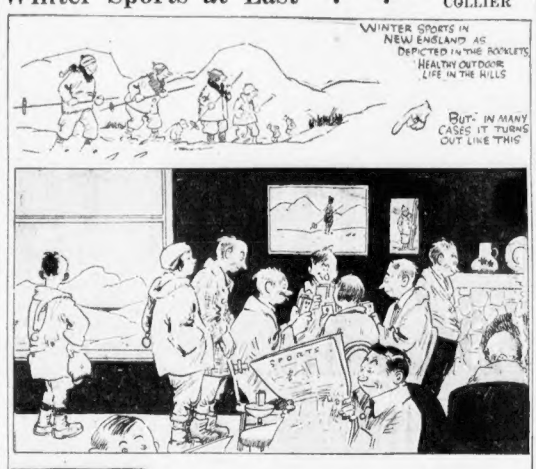
"Of course, the Japanese are far better equipped than we, but our morale is better."

Shanghai Troops Given $50,000

Shanghai, Feb. 16 (AP)—The Chinese bankers' association presented the 19th Route Army, which is defending the city, 250,000 Mexican dollars, about $1 to each of the 50,000 men in the army, as an expression of "gratitude and good will" the bankers said.

The peace preservation committee also launched a campaign for "a national saivation fund for armed resistance to Japan's invasion of Chinese territory," its representatives said.

Winter Sports at Last -:- -:- By FRANKLIN COLLIER


WINTER SPORTS IN NEW ENGLAND AS DEPICTED IN THE ROCKETS, HEALTHY OUTDOOR LIFE IN THE HILLS
BUT IN MANY CASES IT TURNS OUT LIKE THIS
SPORTS
IN THE OLD DAYS THE FARMHOUSE WAS SNUGGED IN FOR THE WINTER.
WINTER CARNIVAL NEXT WEEK
ROOMS HEATED
SKI JUMP
WINTER SPORTS BRING OUT NEW CLOTHES TO WEAR EVEN IF THE WEARERS DON'T WEAR 'EM OUT ALWAYS.
BUT THAT'S ALL CHANGED NOW.

BOTH ARMIES MASSING FOR BIG BATTLE

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all of Japan's previous important moves, and the coming gigantic attempt to drive the Chinese 20 or 30 miles from Shanghai was expected to be no exception.

MORE JAPS COMING

Chinese forces are estimated at between 20,000 and 50,000, while the Japanese numbers are estimated variously from 18,000, the official figure given out, to 25,000. Reports from Tokio today stated 10,000 more troops probably would be sent on their way soon.

The reason for the Japanese delay has been given as the desire to be fully prepared before attacking, the Japanese being well aware of their failure to take Chapei through too little preparedness and an underestimation of the Chinese strength.

This time there will be no such excuse. Yesterday and today both large and small tanks lumbered their way northward from Shanghai after being lowered from transport ships. Also landed were hundreds of cavalry horses, heavy and light field guns, provisions, and, of course, more men.

CHINESE READY

The Chinese also have been getting ready for the battle, obviously prepared for the "battle to the death" which leaders have been urging. With morale high, Chinese have been busy erecting barricades, digging trenches, laying barbed wire and planting well-hidden machine-gun nests where they best will mow down approaching Japanese forces.

The Chapei front was comparatively quiet today. Aside from the bomb explosions in Chapei, which were so loud that they gave creditable substantiation to reports the Japanese were using a new secret bomb of record size, there was little fighting in the immediate vicinity of Shanghai.

No noise was heard from the north, indicating that the Woosung front also was quiet.

PEACE EFFORTS FAIL

Efforts at effecting peace continued to fail. Both Chinese and Japanese leaders remained firm in refusing to accede to even the less drastic of the other's demands, and the intervention of foreign diplomats was fruitless.

American Minister Nelson T. Johnson, preparing to return to Nanking today, said he would continue to keep in touch with local and foreign officials in Shanghai in peace moves.

A retreat of the Chinese forces defending Shanghai because of lack of munitions was predicted today by a semi-official Chinese government spokesman as the probably eventual outcome of the massed Japanese attack, if and when it comes.

The retreat before the superior Japanese armament in the event of an offensive is almost inevitable, he said, but he added that it would be a retreat without defeat.

China has millions of men, he said, enough money to keep the army fed and for the first time in many wars she also has the necessary morale, but she has not the facilities necessary to keep her guns supplied with sufficient ammunition.

AMMUNITION SHORT

Chinese soldiers now have orders to use ammunition only when it is certain to be effective, he said, and he expressed the opinion any attempt by the small Chinese air force to engage in battle with Japan's air armada would be "suicide."

A Japanese offensive, however, he said, would strengthen rather than weaken the Chinese morale, for it would serve to sharpen the weapon with which the Chinese expect to gain their ultimate victory—the boycott of Japanese goods.

The 19th route army is determined to yield no inch of Chinese soil without a fight, however, and the defensive works which they have constructed will make no Japanese advance possible without a terrific toll of Japanese lives, military observers believe.

The Japanese can drive us only so far, a Chinese official said, "and the farther they drive us the hard er their task will become.

Marines Honor Dead Comrade

Shanghai, Feb. 16 (US)—An American bugler blew taps today over the flag draped coffin of the first United States marine to die in Shanghai. He is Julius Merz, of Los Angeles, who died when his pistol was accidentally discharged.

All the marines who could be spared were present, lined up on board the U. S. S. Grant at rigid attention during the reading of services by Chaplain R. W. Truitt. The body will be shipped to Los Angeles.

JUST GUARDING YANKEE INTERESTS

It is estimated that United States forces in and about Shanghai number about 3000. In the International Settlement, sailors, marines and soldiers, as well as civilian volunteers, are at hand to protect American citizens and interests. This photograph was made several weeks ago, but before real action was reported from the Shanghai territory. The sailors are guarding in the International territory during student riots. (Wide World photo.)

JAPANESE FACE SUPREME TEST OF EFFICIENCY

Washington Experts See Possible Exposure of Military "Bogey Man" at Shanghai

Washington, Feb. 16 (INS)—Military experts in the United States today were watching with unusual interest the developments of Japan's organized offensive in Chinese territory, as a test of the vaunted efficiency of the Japanese army.

The success or failure of this drive will determine, in the opinion of these experts, whether the world has stood in awe for the past 20 years of a bogey man or the real fighting force which the army of the Rising Sun flag has been conceded.

The experts consider that Japan's military prowess has suffered a serious setback as a result of the reverses her forces have met at Shanghai.

DECISION IN DAY OR TWO

Until the Nipponese navy attempted to crack the Chinese nut extending from the Woosung forts to the rear of Shanghai there had been no question in military minds that the Japanese fighting forces of today were worthy successors of those that defeated the Russians at Port Arthur 28 years ago.

Today there was a large interrogation mark after that consideration. Japan now has a large army in the field at Shanghai, equipped with all the modern implements of warfare. This army is confronted by a Chinese force which is probably superior in numbers, but vastly inferior in equipment.

The test will come, military observers here believe, within the next 48 hours. If the present Japanese force fails to make decisive headway against the Chinese, Japan's arms will have suffered a humiliation in world opinion which no subsequent victory can completely erase.

NEAR BEING "OUTLAWED."

Whether Japan wins or loses this battle, she eventually must face a large diplomatic fight in Europe against her in other capitals of the world.

Protest after protest has been filed with the Tokio foreign office by the other major powers against Japanese activities in China, until Japan today comes perilously near to being considered an outlaw nation.

It is a record such as no world power has had to face since the German delegates marched into the Versailles peace palace.

Jap Artillery Works Like Fine Machine

By JOHN GOETTE.
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Shanghai, Feb. 16 (INS)—For an hour today I stood on the Japanese lines and watched Japanese artillery of the 24th Brigade, commanded by Gen. Shimonoto, drop high explosive shells into the beleagured Woosung forts area.

The marksmen were as methodical and effective as a well oiled, triple expansion engine.

Gen. Shimomoto assigned Capt. Kita to show me his troops in action. Kita headed a battery of gunman who yanked a lanyard with machine like precision and sent shell after shell from a "75" into the Chinese lines a mile away.

EACH HIT MARKED

A cotton-ball of smoke rose with each hit, followed immediately by a searing reply from Chinese machine gunners. It was like throwing stones at a hornet's nest.

After this ordeal by fire I lines up with the Japanese doughboys for mess. They had rice and "slum" the piece de resistance of the American doughboy and no lake or light wine which is rationed them daily.

Our meal was interrupted by six Japanese privates dragging into camp a number of Chinese soldiers who had been wounded and unable to escape during the skirmish our shells had stirred up.

CARE FOR PRISONERS.

One of the prisoners, a lad of about 16, had been shot through the leg. Capt. Kita promised me he would have immediate medical attention and explained that previous to my arrival his men had taken about a dozen other Chinese prisoners, who required treatment.

Capt. Kita declared that there were no Japanese troops across Woosung creek, where the area is one vast swamp. He said the Chinese were still holding tenaciously to the fort and working their guns intermittently.

A Japanese patrol came in and reported to Capt. Kita that the Chinese were hastily digging trenches on the other side of the creek.

SEES CHINESE WITHDRAWAL.

"I believe these trenches are intended to cover a Chinese withdrawal from the fort defenses," Capt. Kita said to me.

"Our planes report fewer Chinese over there during the last 24 hours. We have had no casualties during that period."

Returning to Shanghai I passed a Japanese airfield with a dozen or more scout planes and bombers being overhauled. Four bombers were already loaded each with six bombs and the engine of each plane was turning over rhythmically. In a few moments they took off to rain death on the Chinese position in the Chapei district.

Manuel Going to Brazil

Rio de Janeiro, Feb. 16 (INS)—Don Manuel, former king of Portugal, and his wife, Princess Augusta von Hohenzollern, will visit Brazil next June, it was reported here today.

Nation Talk

A new portrait of Mrs. Anne Morrow Lindbergh, wife of the famous airman, who will speak to nation on next Sunday. Mrs. Lindbergh will describe the flight made by herself and her husband over the flooded Yangtze Valley. The broadcast is in behalf of flood relief in China. (International Newsreel photo.)

LEAGUE 12 VOTE TO WARN JAPS

BY FREDERICK K. ABBOTT
International News Service Staff Correspondent

Geneva, Feb. 16 (INS)—The League of Nations council of 12, meeting secretly today without representatives of either China or Japan, drew up a telegram couched in unusually strong terms of protest for dispatch to Tokio. The appeal asks Japan to stop fighting at once and declares the league will refuse to recognize any territorial changes resulting from Japan's occupation of China.

A second meeting was called for this afternoon at which the message was to be read to delegates of both China and Japan before sending it to the Japanese government.

The council met for an hour to consider the troublesome Shanghai conflict. It was expected W. W. Yen, Chinese delegate to the league, who asked convocation of the league assembly to consider the Sino-Japanese controversy, would withhold future action pending developments of this latest league move.

Yen has announced that if the league declines to convoke the assembly China will do it.

JAPAN TO SEND FRESH ARMY OF 45,000

U. S. and Britain Told They "Would Do Same" in Shanghai Crisis

By JAMES R. YOUNG
International News Service Staff Correspondent

Tokio, Feb. 16—An intimation that Japan may send reinforcements to Shanghai totalling 45,000 men was given by Minister of War Sadao Araki today.

On the heels of new protests by Great Britain and the United States over landing of Japanese troops in the International Settlement, and with the League of Nations preparing a new, vigorously worded" cablegram, Araki outlined the government's plans, insisting that its only object is to protect the lives and property of Japanese nationals in Shanghai.

"The next 24 hours will determine our action," Araki said.

"Our policy will be to send adequate strength quickly when needed, and withdraw when that necessity is removed.

"Our militarists are well prepared for any eventuality."

"The Chinese show no inclinations of complying with Gen. Uyeda's demand to withdraw a suitable distance from Shanghai.

"Meantime, the Chinese central national army is mobilizing rapidly."

The War Ministry is extremely pessimistic over the situation, pointing out the determined resistance put up by the Chinese at Woosung as well as repeated rumors that airplanes have been sent to Shanghai from Canton as proof that the Chinese are planning to fight rather than arbitrate.

Foreign military attaches here predict that if the Japanese dislodge the Chinese at Woosung the retreating forces will rush the International Settlement, involving other foreign troops and paving the other powers to join the Japanese to clean up the situation.

"U. S. WOULD DO LIKEWISE"

In answering the protests delivered by British and American diplomats, Araki said Japanese troops had been landed in the settlement simply because no facilities were available outside the settlement for debarkation of large expeditionary forces.

He added that Great Britain and the United States would have acted similarly under similar circumstances.

Patriotism and war spirit among the populace of Japan have given this country a brand new fleet of war planes, the army office announced today.

Ten fighting planes have been donated by civilian contributors, it was announced. The planes are being used as the nucleus for a new air corps.

U. S., British Flags Used by Chinese to Escape Attack

Shanghai, Feb. 16 (AP)—Foreign flags, especially American, sprang up everywhere today, flying from flagpoles over buildings, in courtyards, over doorways and from most automobiles, trucks, carriages and even rickshas. Small boats plying along the waterfront also carried British or American flags.

Of 48 vehicles investigated, on which either American or British flags were flying, not one was found to be owned by a national of either country. The investigation was made after a complaint was made by the Japanese that the flags were being misused.

Examination by municipal police revealed that Chinese were the principal offenders. Even, Red Cross flags were being flown on Chinese commercial vehicles.

Chinese flags were conspicuous by their absence.

ITALIANS OFF FOR CHINA

Italian marines ready to embark for duty in Shanghai war zone. They sailed from Gaita and will help reinforce the foreign defence troops in the International Sttlement. The contingent is speeding to China on the big 10,000-ton cruiser Trento. (I.N.R.)

PEOPLE

Who Interest You and What They Are Doing

Mrs. Ferguson to Enter Race for Governor Again

Dallas, Texas, Feb. 16—It is reported that Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, former governor of Texas, will seek nomination again to the governorship this week.

Mrs. Ferguson

Mrs. Ferguson, who was elected on a vindication platform in 1924, after her husband-governor was impeached, failed in two other attempts to win office. In 1930, Mrs. Ferguson led the first Democratic primary, her vote being 242,000 out of a total 833,442 votes cast. She was beaten out in a close race by R. S. Sterling.

Colleen Moore Bride of New York Broker

Fort Pierce, Fla., Feb. 16—Colleen Moore, petite film actress and original flapper of the films, has married Al P. Scott, New York stock broker, to whom she was reported engaged when she divorced her first husband, John E. McCormick, motion picture producer, in May, 1930.

Colleen Moore

They were married shortly after daybreak here, and immediately left for another ceremony. Colleen's aunt, Mrs. Beatrice Warren, made reservations for both at the Pancoast Hotel, Miami, an hour before they arrived.

Eva Le Gallienne Returns to Reopen Civic Theater

New York, Feb. 16—With the intention of reopening her civic repertory theater next October, Eva La Gallienne has returned to this country on the Ile de France.

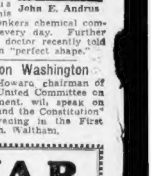
Eva Le Gallienne

She will be surrounded with a group of performers who have played with her during the last six years, with almost no change in the company. Her first production will be "Camille," "Romeo and Juliette" and others.

Miss Gallienne stated she much prefers the American theater to that of Europe, asserting it has a great deal more of vigor and life.

Andrus, 91, Now No Longer the 'Millionaire Straphanger'

Yonkers, N. Y., Feb. 16—John E. Andrus, who gained the name of the "millionaire strap-hanger" because of his love to ride in the New York subways, is 91 years old today.



John E. Andrus

The aged millionaire does not deserve that title any more, however. He rides about in a chauffeured automobile now, what with the jostling crowds and other inconveniences.

Despite his age, Andrus still goes to his office in a Yonkers chemical company almost every day. Further than that, his doctor recently told him he was in "perfect shape."

Address on Washington

Clinton N. Howard, chairman of the National United Committee on Law Enforcement, will speak on "Washington and the Constitution" Wednesday evening in the First Baptist Church, Waltham.

WAR Bulletins

SHELLS KILL JAPS

Tokio, Feb. 16 (INS)—The Navy Department today reported that shells were showered on Japanese marine headquarters during Monday's fighting in the Chapei area, killing three marines and wounding others.

KING CONFERS IN CRISIS

London, Feb. 16 (INS)—Sir John Simon, British foreign secretary, spent half an hour with King George at Buckingham Palace today, discussing the Sino-Japanese situation and disarmament.

EVACUATE AMERICANS

Nanking, Feb. 16 (INS)—Acting on instructions from United States Consul-General Cunningham in Shanghai, American women and children today began evacuating cities along the Shanghai-Nanking railway.

NORMA TALMADGE TO DIVORCE PRODUCER HUBBY IN PARIS

FILM ROMANCE BLASTED

Norma Talmadge, screen star, shown in a recent picture, who admitted today she will sail for Paris at once to divorce her producer husband, Joseph Schenck. She denied she intended to rewed.

LAST HONOR TO SUB CREW

Paying last tribute to 60 men who lost their lives in sunken British submarine M-2. The services were held on the submarine mother ship Adamant at the spot where the lost craft went down. Standing behind the wreaths are, Rear Admiral Little, commander of the submarine forces; Rev. E. S. Ulyot, Episcopal minister, and Rev. A. Folty, Catholic priest. (I. N. R. photo).

Nobel Winner Dies

Paris, Feb. 16 (INS)—Ferdinand Buisson, 90, co-winner of the Nobel peace prize in 1927 with Ludwig Quiddle of Germany, died today.

Gen. Ferrie Dead

Paris, Feb. 16 (INS)—Gen. Gustave Ferrie, chief of the wireless section of the French army, died today.

JIMMY BOBSLEDS--WITHOUT HIS SPATS

A rare and unusual photo of the dapper and wise-cracking Mayor Walker of New York. He is shown at Lake Placid, ready for a whizz down the course on the bobsled that won first place for the United States team. Mayor Jimmy is garbed well for the occasion, but familiar spats are absent, one of the few times Jimmy has gone without them. With the mayor is William L. Fiske, driver of the bobsled that won first place in two heats. "Let's Go" says the sign on the sled. It did. (Int. Newsreel Photo).

Mellon May Re-Marry His Long Divorced Wife

STAR ASSERTS SHE WON'T REWED

Schenck Admits His Devotion to Business Caused Rift

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS
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Hollywood, Feb. 16—Within the next 10 days Norma Talmadge, screen star, will sail for Paris to start divorce proceedings against Joseph Schenck, her producer husband.

Miss Talmadge, now in New York, said over the telephone:

"There is no other man and I have no intention of re-marrying. I still consider Mr. Schenck my best friend and I shall always have a great affection and esteem for him. If I needed a friend tomorrow, he would be the first one to whom I should appeal. We still have many business interests in common, mutual real estate both in New York and Los Angeles."

SEPARATED 5 YEARS

Miss Talmadge's statement that she does not expect to re-marry kills the current rumor that she will marry Gilbert Roland.

Mr. Schenck, who returned home with Paul Block in the latter's private car, corroborated his wife's statement that they would be divorced.

"If her freedom will make Norma happy, I want her to have it," said Mr. Schenck. "We have been separated for five years. We were married October 22, 1916, and the first nine years of our married life were very happy. Our business interests were the same and we were seldom separated.

BUSINESS CAUSE OF RIFT

"Then," said Mr. Schenck, "I made the mistake of leaving my wife alone too often. I became president of United Artists and business took me to New York.

JOSEPH SCHENCK

Norma could not go out alone and she became unhappy and lonely. Business caused the rift and not Norma's interest in any man."

Walker Has Injured Bob Sled Men Moved

New York, Feb. 16 (AP)—Arriving here today Capt. Fritz Grau, Albert Brehme and Helmouth Happmann, German bobsled men injured at the Olympic games in Lake Placid on February 2, were taken to Lenox Hill Hospital.

Mayor Walker directed Dr. J. G. William Greeff, commissioner of hospitals, to arrange for the transfer here of the German sportsmen.

MAYBE HERE'S A FUTURE HELEN MORGAN

Helen Morgan, Broadway singing comedienne, coaches a group of Miami Beach high school girls in the piano-sitting technique which has won her such fame and popularity in singing songs about unrequited love. Judging by appearances, the pupils are determined to be the Helen Morgans of the future. (International Newsreel photo.)

2 JAIL GUARDS HURT IN CRASH

Providence, R. I., Feb. 16 (INS)—Two guards in the State prison at Cranston were seriously injured today when their roadster, in which they were returning to the prison, sideswiped a parked automobile and crashed into a telegraph pole.

The guards, taken to St. Joseph's hospital in Providence, were John T. Isaacson and James J. Wall. Names of bothe wereplaced on the danger list.

The men were discovered by Frederick Lynch of Cranston, owner of the parked automobile. He had telephoned a garage for a repairman to fix trouble with his car, and when he returned he saw the two men in the wreckage of their automobile.

Lynch telephoned police and, when they arrived, one of the guards was staggering about with a revolver in his hand. Both men were taken to Cranston police station, where their identity was established.

In Dad's Shoes

Phillip K. Wrigley, son of the late William Wrigley, Jr., as he appeared at his desk in the Wrigley Building in Chicago, and took over his father's gigantic business interests. (Int. Newsreel photo).

STRIKE CALLS OUT 32,000

New York, Feb. 16 (AP)—A strike order affecting 35,000 workers in the women's garment trade went into effect today. The strike was voted on last night by the strike committee of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union. It was called to demand "decent" wages and standards of living.

Several hundred police were posted about the garment district to prevent clashes between the right wing workers, who favor the strike, and left wing communists who charged the others with fomenting a "fake strike."

3 MILLION BACK HINDENBURG

Berlin, Feb. 16 (AP)—President von Hindenburg today accepted the presidential nomination of a non-partisan committee headed by Lord Mayor Heinrich Sahm. There was a possibility Adolf Hitler might oppose him.

The president received Herr Sahm and a group of other notables representing the provinces and was informed that 3,000,000 signatures had been affixed to a petition asking him to run.

Mayor Sahm said later he regarded the great number of signatures as an indication that the president's re-election is assured.

PERSHING POSES FOR BUST

Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of the American forces in the World War, posing for his bust by George Fite Waters, American sculptor. The bust was especially made for the Louvre, the great French art gallery in Paris, where it is to be unveiled soon. (International Newsreel photo.)

EX-TREASURY HEAD WINNING BACK OLD LOVE

Children Said to Have Paved the Way for Reconciliation After 20 Years' Parting

By MARGARET LANE
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Washington, Feb. 16 (INS)—A romantic rumor has for the last six months been hovering round the venerable white head of Andrew Mellon, former Secretary of the Treasury, and newly-appointed ambassador to the Court of St. James.

Gossip has persistently played with the idea that he intends—some even insist he has already done so—remarrying the handsome Irish wife he divorced more than 20 years ago.

Even the Mellons' closest friends refuse to put a direct yes or no on the possibility. Mr. Mellon himself denies it. His ex-wife says nothing. Yet the fact is that there has recently been a reconciliation of the friendliest nature after a complete estrangement of nearly a quarter of a century.

EX-WIFE IN CAPITAL

The rumor of a remarriage has sprung up round the former secretary for several reasons. First, his ex-wife, who has for many years refused to live in America, has returned to Washington. Mr. Mellon, who is leaving this country within the next two weeks to take up office in England, has nevertheless recently bought an expensive 400-acre estate near Middleburg, W. Va., the hunting district within 50 miles of Washington.

The estate is in the name of his son, who has just completed his university career, but it is an imposing place for a young man of 25, even though his father is in the first dozen richest men in the world.

The former Mrs. Mellon is even now in residence on the estate with her son, and her former husband visits them frequently. Mr. and Mrs. Mellon had held no communications for many years, though he has supported her handsomely ever since the divorce.

DEVOTED TO MOTHER.

Friends of her grownup son and daughter know that the children have for years wished for some friendly settlement between their parents, and this reconciliation—of whatever nature it is—is generally thought to be their doing. They have always been devoted to their divorced mother, although separated from her almost from babyhood.

It has been suggested that Mr. Mellon may be unwilling to present himself at the court of St. James with a divorce in the background, and that he intended remarrying his wife in order to take her with him to England, where she loves to live.

YOUNG WRIGLEY TAKES HOLD

Chicago, Feb. 16 (AP)—A young man who never had time to "play around" has come home to take over the reins of one of the largest fortunes in the country.

He is Philip K. Wrigley, who, at 37 or thereabouts, recently became custodian not only of the chewing gum industry built up by his father, the late William Wrigley, Jr., but of two baseball teams—Los Angeles of the Pacific Coast League and the Chicago Cubs, as well as extensive real estate holdings and an air line.

Work and more work seems to be his motto. He has never had time to do much playing. His first job, aside from selling gum for his father in Australia, was flying a naval plane during the World War.

His present job, however, is not entirely new to him. For seven years he has had first-hand experience as president of the Wrigley interests.

"Policies laid down by my father will be carried out," he said.

ICE TAN FOR POLAR BEARS

"TOMMY" KOHLER SELMAN GOLDSTEIN

"Tommy" Kohler and Selma Goldstein are members of the Polar Bears, a group of young Chicagoans who swim in the icy waters of Lake Michigan all winter, and they are shown here frolicking between dips in the new suits designed to protect them from snowburn. (International Newsreel photo.)

Old Love Calls

Mrs. Andrew Mellon, divorced wife of ex-Secretary of the Treasury. After a separation of 20 years Mellon is now said to be winning back her love, and it is rumored they may be remarried before he goes to England as ambassador.

In Comeback

Shirland Quinn, celebrated British authoress and writer of "Dark Heritage" and other novels, has emerged from her recent four-year retirement in Honolulu to go to Hollywood, to write a story for movies. (International Newsreel photo.)

OLD RACER DIES NEAR GOAL LINE

On the course that he plodded 25 years ago as a marathoner, Frank P. Lynch, 55, of 88 Washington st., Brighton, was found dead today.

Lynch was elevator starter at Hotel Bradford and for 24 years was employed at the old Adams House where he became known by many notables, including Calvin Coolidge.

In the early hours this morning he was found in Commonwealth ave., near Braves Field, half-way home from work. Lynch made it a practice to walk home for the exercise.

Brookline police found him on a spot that was occupied by those who cheered him on his way in B. A. A. marathons years ago.

For six hours he lay unidentified while police sought to identify him through a Commonwealth ave. address that police found in his pocket.

Identification was finally established through a nephew after Lynch's widow telephoned Brighton police that he hadn't arrived home on time as was his habit.

Lynch, in addition to his activities as a marathoner, also competed in mile and two-mile races. He won many trophies at the Caledonian games during his career.

Police said death was believed to have been due to a heart attack, induced by exertion in the long walk and the extreme cold. An autopsy was ordered.

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GANG SUSPECT IS HELD UNDER $30,000 BAIL

Henry E. Mullen, 26, of Washington st., Brockton, alleged member of one of two Greater Boston holdup gangs wrecked by Boston police last week, was held in $30,000 bail when arraigned in Malden court today.

The Brockton man was held in $15,000 for the grand jury for the holdup of William W. Edwards, proprietor of a provision store in Glendale sq., Everett, three weeks ago Saturday night, and in $15,000 as a fugitive from a similar charge in Rhode Island for a $1500 holdup of a dice game in Valley Falls, R. I.

Mullen was arrested in the South Station last Saturday night by Lieut. J. J. Hinchey and Sergt. John Laidlaw of Boston police, on information furnished by Thomas E. Sullivan of South Boston and William Waugh of Jamaica Plain, two other members of the gang who are now under arrest.

The holdup and robbery of Edwards occurred as the provision dealer was garaging his car at his Everett home at night. Three armed men robbed him of $45 and then locked him in the garage. He was not released for some time, and then by neighbors who heard his cries and his kicking on the doors.

Mr. Meek Got Tired of Being Mr. Meek

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 16 (AP)—W. A. Meek has grown tired of living up to his name.

Not long ago a holdup man visited him in his oil station. Mr. Meek stood with his hands in the air while the intruder looted the cash register.

A little later another holdup came in and the same thing happened. Did Mr. Meek mildly submit? He did not. Instead, he swung the ice scraper he was working with and down went the robber, pistol and all.

Come Easy, Go Easy

Washington, Feb. 16 (INS)—Lee Blake of Fresno, Cal., came 3500 miles "on the rods" and collected his $400 World War bonus check yesterday. Last night Blake met two men in the railroad yards. They relieved him of the check and $23 in cash.

TWO LINKED IN SORROW

EXCLUSIVE! Mrs. Albert E. Carroll of Brookline, aunt of Elizabeth Cook, Boston heiress, who died mysteriously on a liner at sea, and St. George Tucker Arnold, the girl's fiance. (Staff photo.)

POISON TRACED IN GIRL'S HOAX DEATH

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the first part of the voyage from Naples but that on Feb. 6, as his ship neared Gibraltar, she failed to answer for breakfast or luncheon.

Alarmed, he went with several women passengers to her cabin and found her sleeping restlessly with a high temperature.

This temperature increased, he said, and he thought the girl had double pneumonia.

There was no doctor aboard and he radioed to Gibraltar for medical advice, but before such advice was received the girl had died.

At the inquest he told of having found the tablets of narcotics in the cabin, but said he found no communication except the cablegram informing the girl of Arnold's death. This message, according to other advices, he himself had delivered to her. Several women passengers corroborated his testimony at the inquest.

Failure to find the radiogram sent to her by Arnold on Feb. 2 leads to the belief she may never have received it. In it, Arnold told her "You are the type of girl" this message a girl in love would cherish.

The hoax message—whether a genuine or bogus cablegram or radiogram, is not yet established—continued to be the crux of the international mystery, involving now the state departments of four nations, United States, Great Britain, Italy and Germany.

CONFLICTING CIRCUMSTANCES

The belief that Miss Cook, who was returning to Boston to wed Arnold this week-end, killed herself in grief and despair after receiving the spurious report of her fiance's demise from appendicitis, was strengthened by the traces of drug revealed in the post-mortem examination.

Yet there are circumstances definitely conflicting with this theory.

Secretary of State Stimson wired Arnold that the hoax message was received by Miss Cook by Capt. Uncles, indicating she did not get it until after she boarded the ship at Naples, perhaps not until the ship had sailed.

In that case, why did Miss Cook have in her possession the drugs administered? Boarding the liner at Naples she should have been extremely happy in the outlook for her forthcoming marriage—certainly not planning suicide.

FRESH FROM GERMANY

The Berlin label on the bottle of narcotics indicates she may have had the drug in her possession when she started home, before receiving the hoax message. She had been in Weisbaden with her mother, Mrs. Mabel Cook, and her 18-year-old sister, Louise, until a few days before she sailed.

If she had been using narcotics or other that fact was unknown to her relatives, they said.

That she left no note discounts the theory of suicide, and murder in the opinion of her aunt, Mrs. Edward Carroll of Freeman st., Brookline, is still a tenable theory.

The Boston Evening American's exclusive story on Saturday that the name "Hiram James" was signed to the hoax message was corroborated by Secretary Stimson upon advice from Richard H. Sprague, American consul at Gibraltar, but there is no trace of the identity of such a person.

MAY NOT SEE CABLE

Developments at Gibraltar resulted in authorities there wireless Capt. Uncles on the Chinese Prince to keep the hoax message and return it to Gibraltar where at the inquest, it was not introduced.

Whether Arnold and the girl's relatives here will be permitted even to see it when the liner arrives tomorrow night is a question.

Robert G. Dodge, president of the Boston Bar Association, who is representing Arnold and Mrs. Carroll, today asked for the aid of Attorney Edmund Bell Twomey in solving the mystery.

Twomey said that if Capt. Uncles declines to reveal the contents of the message he will communicate with the British steamship agents requesting an order that he do so.

Something in the nature of an inquest is scheduled when the ship docks. In addition to the captain, as many passengers and members of the crew as possible will be questioned, Twomey said.

Arnold believes that his fiancee's death resulted, at least indirectly, from the contents of the fake message, He thinks that when the message is finally revealed it will show that under the name "Helen James" appears "Supt. ——— Hospital" or some similar phrase that would have led Miss Cook to accept its contents without question.

MOTHER ON WAY

Mrs. Cook and Louise reached Gibraltar yesterday on the S. S. Conte Biancamano and continued on that ship toward New York.

Another strange detail was added to the case when the mother and sister arrived in Gibraltar, Sprague, American consul, announced after questioning both that they made no reference to the hoax cablegram and gave no indication of hearing, anything about it.

While this added to the belief that it was delivered to the girl after the Chinese Prince left Naples on the journey which was to culminate in her wedding, it also added one more conflicting detail to the strange mystery.

When her death was reported Arnold immediately cabled his condolences to her mother in Naples. It was reported there that this cable surprised her greatly as she had understood he had died, as reported in the hoax cable.

The secret of the hoax message, telling of the death of her fiance and found near her body will be solved in questioning here tomorrow, investigators believe, if the identity of her visitors is established.

FEARS FOUL PLAY

Once in possession of this information, probers will devote every effort to learning whether the vial of poison found in the girl's cabin was brought by a visitor as a harmless remedy for insomnia.

Had the hoax message been delivered before sailing time, investigators believe, the girl would have immediately communicated with her mother. There is no evidence yet unearthed to show that Elizabeth was unhappy or exhibited any sign of grief at sailing time.

M'GRATH'S PAY TOPS CUT LIST

Sealed salary reductions, with his own the largest, were advocated for all city employes by Mayor Thomas J. McGrath of Quincy, whose budget was before the City Council today.

He budget is $3,361,000, a reduction of $445,000 from last year, chiefly through wage cuts. The budget provides a 5 per cent reduction on salaries to $3000, 6 per cent on salaries from $3000 to $4000, 8 per cent on salaries from $4000 to $5000, and 10 per cent on salaries of $5000 'and up."

The mayor himself is the only official receiving $5000. The school department, with a separate budget, is not affected.

Today, in the real estate columns of the Classified Ads, you will find scores of opportunities for profitable investment.

Grandmother and 2 Babies Aid Bandits in Chicago

Chicago, Feb. 16 (INS)—While police malign Chicago's bandits in one breath, they are forced to admire their ingenuity in the next.

Some months ago police were hard pressed to solve the "grandmother bandit."

A young man would hold up a place of business, run from the store, and completely disappear. Clerks rushing to the door would find nothing but an old lady, alone in a touring car, nonchantly driving away.

But an alert officer happened to be on the scene one day, and he stopped the aged woman and looked in the tonneau, and hiding on the floor was her bandit grandson.

The latest wrinkle is the bandits who is accompanied by his two baby daughters. The little girls have been accomplices in six filing station holdups in the past few weeks, effectively warding off suspicions of the victims when papa drives up to the gas pump.

Curb on Enlisted Pilots Approved

Washington, Feb. 16—Naval aviation won a victory before the House naval committee when a favorable report was voted on a bill permitting the reduction of enlisted pilot personnel from 30 to 20 per cent, as a minimum, and giving the Secretary of the Navy discretionary authority as to the maximum.

Rear Admiral William A. Moffett told the committee it costs $19,500 to train an enlisted man as an aviation pilot and $18,500 for an Annapolis graduate.

JURY INSPECTS FIRE SCENES

Worcester, Feb. 16—Henry A. Gardner, 29, of West st., was placed on trial in Superior Criminal Court on an indictment charging him with setting fire to All Saints Episcopal Church on Jan. 20 and with setting five other fires at different times in the Pleasant st. district.

William E. Bransfield of Worcester, baseball manager and umpire, was appointed foreman of the jury.

The jurymen were taken to view the places where it is alleged Gardner set fires. These included All Saints Church, Pleasant Street Baptist Church, home of Rev. Joseph B. Rogers, Ashland st.

Ice Harvest Fails

Fall River, Feb. 16—Hopes of harvesting ice this winter have been abandoned by local ice companies.

Canned Sauerkraut Poisoned

Dayton, O., Feb. 16 (UE)—Fifty families who salvaged 9000 cans of sauerkraut from a dump today were warned not to eat the stuff as it had been condemned as poisoned.

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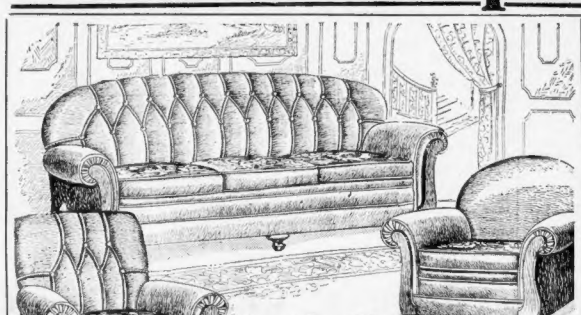

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$42.50 Colonial Secretaries — Mahogany veneer, with full scroll $19.50

$60.95 Philco Radios — 1932 model 45. Richly toned. Complete with $33.50

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Bed Davenports Upholstered in Denim	98.00	49.00
3-Piece Living Room Sets in Mohair	139.00	58.00
English Lounge Sets, 2 Pcs. Web Bottoms	198.00	79.00
3-Piece Living Room Sets, 100% Mohair	198.00	96.00
3-Piece Living Room Sets, Rich Tapestry	229.00	105.00
3-Piece 100% Mohair Living Room Sets	229.00	110.00
3-Piece Bed Davenport Suites, in Mohair	249.00	119.00
All Over 100% Mohair Living Room Sets	275.00	129.00
3-Piece Decorative Bedroom Sets	69.00	29.00
Colonial Maple Bedroom Sets, 3 Pieces	98.00	39.00
4-Piece Venetian Mirror Bedroom Sets	179.00	82.50
4-Piece Walnut Veneer Bedroom Sets	198.00	85.00
4-Piece Richly Grained Bedroom Sets	249.00	115.00
5-Piece Butt Walnut Bedroom Sets	298.00	129.00
5-Piece Crotch Mahogany Bedroom Sets	650.00	298.00
8-Piece Floral Decorated Dining Sets	77.50	37.50
9-Piece Walnut Veneer Dining Sets	179.00	69.00
8-Piece Walnut Veneer Dining Sets	189.00	89.00
9-Piece Decorative Dining Sets	249.00	115.00
8-Piece English Oak Dining Sets	225.00	119.00
10-Piece Walnut Veneer Dining Sets	269.00	129.00
10-Piece Massive Carved Dining Sets	375.00	175.00

1932 Radios Sacrificed

	Original Price	Sale Price
Model 251 Majestic	$79.50	$42.95
Zennette Radios	97.00	39.50
Atwater Kent No. 85	96.00	49.50
Atwater Kent Model 80	62.50	34.50
Atwater Kent Lowboys	89.00	49.50
Majestic No. 151 Radios	44.50	29.50
Majestic Lowboy Radios	59.50	32.50
Philco Radio Phonographs	110.00	59.50
Majestic Nine Tube Radios	129.50	72.50
Atwater Kent Model 82	69.80	37.50

Beds and Bedding

	Original Price	Sale Price
Simmons Jenny Lind Beds	$35.00	$16.50
Pineapple Top Poster Beds	34.50	16.50
Dresserobes with Mirrors	34.50	14.50
Just 25 Large Dressers	19.85	8.75
Four Drawer Chests	12.50	5.95
Butt Walnut Vanities	49.50	19.50
Colonial Poster Beds	18.50	7.95

Miscellaneous

	Original Price	Sale Price
Boudoir Chairs, as is	($24.50)	$4.98
Decorative Smoking Cabinets	9.85	3.98
All Other Smoking Cabinets		2-3 Off
Block Front Mahogany Veneer Desks	39.50	19.50
English Lounge Chairs	($39.50)	19.00
Cogswell Chairs, Big Variety	($39.50)	19.00
Porcelain Top Tables	($19.50)	9.85
Mah. Drum Top Tables	12.50	4.85
Eureka Vacuum Cleaners	($39.50)	19.50
26-Pc. Silver Plated Sets	4.95	2.95
Floor and Bridge Lamps	($7.50 to $15)	1.49
Decorated and Unfinished Breakfast Chairs	($2.98 to $5.75)	1.49
Famous Make Coal Ranges	69.00	39.00
3-Pc. Reed Sunroom Sets	($39.50 to $69.50)	29.50
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WIFE DESERTED ON HONEYMOON

Salem, Feb. 16—Deserted on her honeymoon only a few hours after their wedding, Mrs. Dorothy M. O'Brien of Lynn was awarded a divorce by Judge Alden P. White from Thomas J. O'Brien of that city in the probate court here.

The couple took a suite in a Stewart st., Lynn, apartment the night of their marriage, she declared, on August 6, 1928. The following forenoon she testified, her husband told her that he had "thought it over, and had reached the conclusion that married life with you is not so hot." Bidding her good-by, he vanished, and she had not seen him since, she maintained.

She asked the court for the custody of her three-year-old child, Dorothy F. O'Brien.

'KING AND QUEEN OF ICE'

JACK SHEA LOUISE HICKEY

The king and queen of the annual ice carnival at Lake Placid assume their duties as rulers over the gay festivities which mark the close of the third winter Olympic games.

SLADE WOMAN BANISHED

Bombay, Feb. 16—Former London society leader, Madeline Slade, now one of Mahatma Gandhi's aids, has been ordered by the government to leave Bombay within 24 hours.

The order was signed by Sir Patrick Kelly, commissioner of police. Miss Slade, the daughter of a British admiral, is ordered not to return to Bombay without official permission.

"Come any time Thursday morning and you will find me still here," she was said to have declared when given the government's order.

Los Angeles Mayor Faces Ouster Move

Los Angeles, Feb. 16 (US)—Bearing 106,790 names, a petition for the recall of Mayor John C. Porter was filed with the city clerk today.

NEW CLUES TO MISSING PAIR

Search for Floyd Stewart and Nathaniel Jones, Harvard Business School students, missing since January 31, turned to Lowell, Hamilton and Wenham today.

Search through the Hamilton and Wenham districts was under way today with forces searching the cottages and camps around Pleasant pond.

Four persons, including Police Chief Arthur Southwick, of Hamilton, identified the missing pair as the two youths seen as late as last Wednesday in those districts. In Lowell a woman noted an automobile parked in front of her home last Wednesday with identical registration as that of the light coupe in which the students disappeared.

Police were inclined to believe the students were in hiding around Hamilton and Wenham. Inspector William LeBlanc hurried there from this city and aided by State Trooper Carl Thomas started a search of the camps.

GANDHI SPINNING WHEEL

Mrs. Sailendra Nath Ghose, of New York, wife of the president of the India National Congress of America, standing beside the spinning wheel that has just been received from Mahatma M. K. Gandhi, as a gift to the former's two little daughters who last year went to London to personally invite the Indian leader to visit America. (International Newsreel photo.)

$5000 Blaze Sweeps Store in Brockton

Brockton, Feb. 16—Fire, which police say, was caused by an overheated stovepipe, caused damage estimated at $5000 to furnishings and stock in the drygoods store of Michael A. Pranaitis at 699 North Main st, early today.

The fire started in the rear of the building and was discovered by a passerby on his way to work.

Extradition Granted

London, Feb. 16 (INS)—An extradition order was granted here today by the Bow st. magistrate for Louis Masi, 45, New York meat packer, charged with offenses under the bankruptcy laws of the United States.

Retrial for Woman on Murder Charge

Cordova, Alaska., Feb. 16 (US)—The first white woman ever to be tried for murder in Alaska today faced a retrial after a jury of 12 men, mostly old "sour doughs," disagreed as to her guilt. The woman, Mrs. Martha Arnott, 65, "mail order bride," was accused of slaying her husband, John M. Arnott, a railroad worker, who was shot in his sleep.

Negro Actor Dead

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 16 (US)—Samuel Davis, the "Gabriel" in "The Green Pastures," Marc Connolly's famous Negro play, is dead here today, after an illness of nearly a week.

18 ESCAPE ON BURNING BOAT

Los Angeles, Feb. 16 (AP)—Almost coincident with the finding of the overdue racing sloop Marin, advices today said the 110-foot pleasure yacht Aimee had burned Friday in the Gulf of Lower California, with the 18 persons aboard safely reaching shore.

Strangely, Edward Carpentier of Santa Barbara, Cal., owner of the Marin, was aboard the Aimee when it caught fire.

A telegram from Capt. Thomas F. Kilkenny of the Aimee was received here by his fiancee, Mrs. M. C. Benedict, telling of the Gulf disaster.

"Aimee burned and sank 12 miles south of Lorete, Baja California, Friday afternoon," it said. "All safe."

Mrs. Benedict said the yacht carried two power launches and suggested those aboard probably escaped in them.

The amateur crew of the Marin, formerly national champion of the eight-meter class, was out of food and near exhaustion from battling baffling breezes for nearly 60 hours on the 90-mile sail from Santa Barbara when a coast guard cutter found the sloop off the Malibu coast and took her in tow.

War Ace Breaks Ankles in Fall

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16—Maj. Reed Landis of the Illinois aeronautics commission, who survived all the dangers of war without a broken bone, slipped when going downstairs in the Senate rest rooms and broke both ankles. He was one of America's leading aces during the war, credited with bringing down 12 enemy planes.

Medford Mayor Plans Shakeup

After the naming of his official "family" tonight at the meeting of the Medford board of aldermen, there is to be a complete check and in some instances a reorganization of city departments, Mayor John H. Burk announced.

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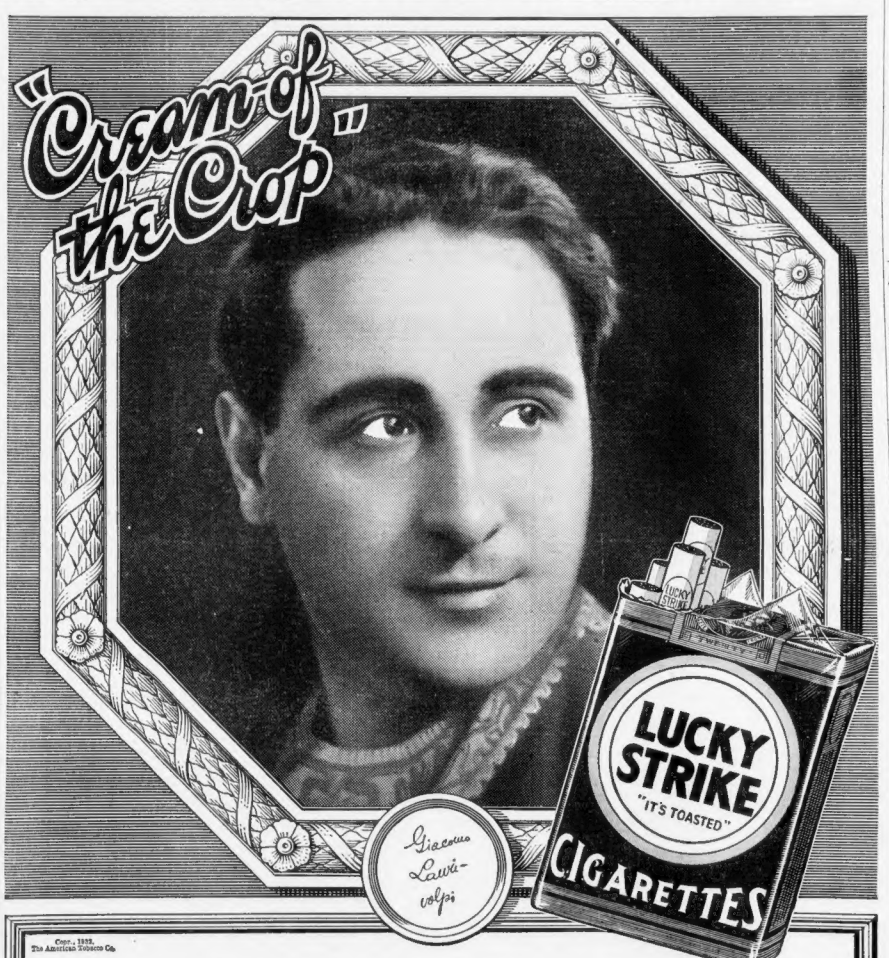

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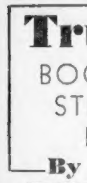
BOOKS WILL FORM STRANGE RECORD FOR HISTORIAN

By GILBERT SELDES

WE ARE PUTTING OURSELVES on record more fully, if not more nobly, than any other age has done; we are saying our say frankly and completely. The historian, 50 years from now,



Gilbert Seldes

will record a severe depression in the years 1929-1932, and instead of looking over a few ledgers and a few newspapers (which are his data for the panics of the past) he will, if he is wise, look also at news-reels, to see what human beings looked like when they were not prosperous; he will dig out electric recordings used on the radio to hear by what they were amused. And, I suppose, he will look at the books we read during this time.

Scavengers

I have received, in the past six months, a number of tiresome and offensive books. One publisher exists to whom no scandal is too ill-smelling, no rumor too gross, to be kept out of print; the living and the dead suffer alike; and what he does not do with biography he does with fiction, trading on the unrighteous scandal attached to great names. I do not consider this important, because such scavangers must exist at all times, and no department of human activity is safe from dirty hands. That publishers make a business of mean pornography is not news; but that publishers who are respectable should lower their colors seems to me a sign of actual degeneration.

I have just received a novel issued by a young house (which has so far been decent, if not distinguished) every page of which is an offense of a peculiarly mean kind. Its principal characters are all well known; what they do is all rumor of the nastiest kind. Protected by their rights as writers of fiction, the authors of this book would not be vulnerable to legal action, even if the men they attack could risk the scandal. It seems to me that nothing can be done in such a case except keep silent; I certanly shall not mention the name of this book or give any further clue. But I think that all the publishers who have been worried to discover why their profits are disappearing ought to discipline the unruly members of their profession.

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"Time Stood Still"

Not only by way of contrast with dull and cheap books, but on its own merits, "Time Stood Still" recommends itself as a beautiful and profoundly interesting book. It is the story of four years spent in British internment camps by Paul Cohen-Portheim, the German painter, who repaid evil with good when he wrote "England, the Unknown Isle," a penetrating study of the heart of a failing empire. "Time Stood Still" is even more distinguished.

The first sensation Mr. Cohen-Portheim gives us is his own feeling of bewilderment. He was a highly civilized individual, German in nationality, International in his interests. He deliberately went to England because his friends were there, and when he had to consider as an alien enemy he quite truthfully said that his home was in Paris. His English friends, men and women of position and importance, treated him decently and hospitably. When the Lusitania was sunk and Mr. Asquith announced that "for their own safety" all alien enemies would be segregated.

I do not know whether Cohen-Portheim is historically correct in giving the impression that this sort of segregation was a new thing, with only the concentration camps of Cuba and South Africa as forerunners. Certainly neither he nor his English friends dreamed that several thousand men would be separated from their wives and children and sent away to spend three or four years doing absolutely nothing. That is what happened to them. In all the miseries and discomforts of a prison camp nothing broke him down so much as enforced idleness and the inescapable company of others. You could not be alone and there was nothing to do.

Barbed-Wire Sickness

Being an artist, Cohen-Portheim was lucky. He could draw, he could paint, and eventually, he produced some plays. The psychology of the barbed-wire enclosure is made terribly clear in his account of the stage productions. He was by this time in the gentlemen's camp—that is, one in which men with money were allowed to buy certain comforts; but the moment he announced a play everybody assumed that he was doing it only to make money for himself. Profiteering went on inside the barbed wire as profitably as in the streets of London, and human psychology did not change.

I do not know of any book of disastrous personal experience which is written so dispassionately. And if I were the editor of a literary magazine I would send it for review to another painter, who also was in prison and wrote what is so far the best American book which centers on the war—"The Enormous Room," by E. E. Cummings. Cummings' book is all passionate; it is full of a noble indignation against the brutal injustices of prison life. The conditions were different: Cummings was falsely accused by the French and herded with outcasts. And the French did not play the war game, back of the lines, as pleasantly as the British did.

"The Enormous Room" has been published several times—it was particularly recommended in England by Lawrence of Arabia; but it has not yet been recognized as an actual masterpiece. Mr. Cohen-Portheim prefaces his book with a warning; he is afraid that his account of prison may seem too rosy, that he may appear to defend what he really condemns. So, in recommending his book I recommend also "The Enormous Room" in order that the impression of one excellence should be corrected by another.

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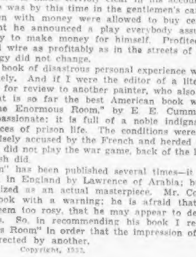
BEST CONTRACT HANDS

A series of selections by bridge stars of the best illustrations in their careers of precise bidding and excellent play. No. 8—David Burnstine.

New York, Feb. 16 (AP)—Good defense affords an outstanding bridge player more pleasure than hands on which game or slam can be made by the novice. David Burnstine, a member of the "four horsemen," who have a record as the outstanding team of four in tournaments, likes best to recall a hand on which he and Oswald Jacoby set Sherman Stearns and Howard Schenken 1600 pounds.

Jacoby had bid a psyche, hoping to confuse the opposition. Burnstine, having a good hand, passed. Stearns and Schenken interpreted the pass as a sign of weakness and went on to a game contract in no trump when vulnerable. Burnstine doubled. The declared was set there. Here is the hand, from a playoff in the Vanderbilt cup competition:



The players: Sherman Stearns, Dealer, North; Howard Schenken, South; David Burnstine, West; Oswald Jacoby, East.

The bidding: Stearns one diamond; Jacoby two hearts; Schenken two spades; Burnstine pass; Stearns two no trump; Jacoby pass; Schenken three no trump; Burnstine double; all pass.

Stearns took only one heart trick, three club tricks and two diamonds.

At another table P. Hal Sims and William R. Karn, teammates of Burnstine and Jacoby, played the cards on which Stearns and Schenken were set. The bidding ran: North one diamond; East one heart; South one spade; West double; north pass; east pass; south two clubs; west pass; north three clubs, all pass. Sims and Karn were set one undoubled for a loss of 100 points. Thus on the hand the horsemen made a net profit of 900 points.

Snowslide Kills Six

Istanbul, Turkey, Feb. 16 (AP)—Six people were killed yesterday in a snow slide off Mount Zigana, near Trebizond, reports reaching here today said, and rescuers were digging for other possible victims.

BLAGDEN TELLS HOW HE FLED KIDNAPERS

Cleveland, Feb. 16 (INS)—Harry M. Blagden, wealthy New York sportsman, kidnaped for ransom five days ago from Lake Placid, N. Y., early today made a daring escape from his captors, who were driving him in a closed delivery truck.

After battling one kidnaper into unconsciousness, Blagden, his clothes torn, his hair matted and suffering from exposure, made his way on foot to the house of a friend, Claude J. Peck, in Cleveland Heights, a suburb.

The house today was under heavy police protection, as authorities believed from the astonishing story told by Blagden he fell victim to a nationwide band of kidnapers.

AT GUN POINT

Blagden declared he was abducted at the point of a gun in the cottage of E. Roland Harriman at Lake Placid, N. Y., last Thursday, driven off in a car, and drugged. Later, he said, his captors forced him to write a ransom note demanding $1000 from his family, which started a far-flung police hunt for the kidnapers.

His chance to free himself came today, when the closed truck in which the three kidnapers drove him stopped at a roadside restaurant not far from here, while two of his captors went to eat.

Left alone with a man he identified as "Curley," Blagden feigned sleep, putting his head on the man's shoulder.

ATTACKED GUARD

"Suddenly I punched him in the stomach," Blagden, an athletic huntsman, said. "I knocked the wind out of him and grabbed his gun. I hit him over the head with it several times until he became unconscious, then ran out of the door of the truck."

Blagden asked passersby where he was. When told Cleveland was nearby, he walked for an hour and a half until he arrived at Peck's home.

He was almost exhausted, but insisted on notifying police and talking by telephone to his brother, Augustus, at Lake Placid to tell him and his 77-year-old father, Thomas Blagden, Sr., of his safety.

TUTORS IN LIEU OF ARMY URGED

Geneva, Feb. 16 (AP) — Two schoolmasters for every soldier was the suggestion for disarmament made to the world conference today by Dr. Ernesto Resch, Argentine representative. This, he added, is the proportion for which Argentine budget provides.

"Argentina's expenditure for her army amounts only to one-sixth of her entire national budget," he said, "and this expense is decreasing, while the expenditure for education has increased to a great extent."

Ambador Hugh Gibson, acting chief of the United States delegation, who has been ill for three days, was in his seat again today.

Mirza Hussein Kyan Ala, Persian delegate, supported the French disarmament proposal and said disarmament, security and moral disarmament should go hand in hand.

Dr. Guiseppe Motta, president of the Swiss Confederation and honorary president of the conference, said conciliation between France and Germany must be the keystone of disarmament.

Mills Called to Give Tax Need Estimate

Washington, Feb. 16 (AP)—Secretary Mills appeared before the House ways and means committee today to make further recommendations for increased taxes and to give his views on the proposed selective manufacturers sales tax.

The treasury's program, slated to yield $766,000,000 in 1933, fell short by $455,000,000 of reaching the prospective $1,241,00,00 deficit. He was asked to submit additional recommendation to supplement the proposed increases in income, inheritance and excise taxes and the new gift tax levy.

"Drunken Autoist" Had Been to Dentist

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 12 (AP)—Police thought Earl Baumgartner, 54, was intoxicated when he tried to taurn a corner in his auto, ran into a house and suffered three broken ribs. They took him to a hospital.

"This man," said a doctor, "is still under the effects of an anaesthetic."

Baumgartner had just had three teeth pulled and the dentist had used an anaesthetic.

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Norma Shearer and Clark Gable to Star in New Frances Marion Story

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS
Motion Picture Editor Universal Service, Inc.
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Los Angeles, Feb. 16—The latest Frances Marion story has been written for Norma Shearer and Clark Gable. Frances, who, like every fond mother is always partial to her newest brain child, says this story is one of her very best. She is calling it "Fidelity."

Louella O. Parsons

Why not "Infidelity?" someone suggested.

"The first time I ever wrote about a faithful wife who is long suffering," says Frances, "and I want that title to stick."

If Norma Shearer's role is that of a patient, home-loving wife, it will also be a departure for her.

In other pictures Norma has been the seductive young woman whose mission it is to understand misunderstood husbands of other women.

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Hollywood's Own Story

The true story of Hollywood is soon to be novelized. Not a scandal yarn but an analysis of real conditions and something of the trials and vicissitudes of the stars who soar to the top and taste the delights of fame. That's the story Adela Rogers St. John will write for David Selznick. The contract was signed a few days ago and the picture will go into production shortly. So far no cast has been chosen. Perhaps the idea is still in Adela's head. I don't know. At any rate, Radio is calling the coming picture, "The True Story Of Hollywood." What a chance for a real epic. Perhaps David might be able to induce each one of our famous stars to play himself.

David Selznick

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Sennett's 15-Reeler

I reckon Mack Sennett has just become tired of having people ask him the plot and title of his 15-reel road show. Many people have wondered what subject could be interesting enough to run through 15 whole reels. Well, here goes. Mack has decided to call his opus "Hypnotized." Hypnotism by love, by personality, by speech, by character, by romance and by glory will be touched upon in this feature and at the same time a definite plot will carry the theme. Remember, this is the feature production which the creator of the bathing beauties and the Keystone Cops will make with an all-star cast of well known names.

Hollywood Chatter

Constance Bennett is in the hospital for a few days. There will be no operation, she is merely under observation for an old trouble. Infected wisdom teeth so drained her strength that her doctor ordered her to bed. I got a valentine. Won't all these girls be jealous when they hear that Jackie Cooper sent me a beautiful valentine with forget-me-nots and roses. What a kick the Swedish population will get out of El Brendel's visit to Minneapolis. Let's hope they don't learn that El is only a Swede by preference. The Malibu season will soon be with us. James Dunn returns next week for his picture, "Society Girl." Wonder if Jimmy will have to say about all this talk of his having secretly married June Knight? Personally, I don't think there is any truth in it.

Constance Bennett

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New One for O'Brien

Eleventh hour production news is the signing of Pat O'Brien by Paramount. He is the lad who was brought out here to play the newspaper reporter, Hildy Johnson, in "The Front Page." This time his picture is "Damaged" and he plays opposite Wynne Gibson. "Damaged" was formerly "Clara Dean." Does "Clara Dean" sound like The Duchess, Bertha M. Clay or Laura Jean Libby. It does, doesn't it? Alison Skipworth has signed a contract. She says it's her first long term movie contract. She plays in "Sinners in the Sun" as her first picture. What a grand actress she is, one of the best among the older generation. Perhaps Colin Clive has made up his mind that American movies are all right after all. He just agreed to return and play the lead in "The Old Dark House" for Universal. If only Mr. Clive could use his astral body how happy he would be. He could be in London and Hollywood at the same time.

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Snapshots of Hollywood

Great branches of pink peach blossoms and roses decorated the huge table at the luncheon given JOAN BENNETT by MRS. C. GARDNER SULLIVAN. Forty-six sat down at the table. On one side of the lustrous sat MRS. LOUIS B. MAYER. MARGE KELLY found a valuable diamond bracelet lost by MRS. HARRY BEAUMONT and restored it before its owner had time to miss it. SALLY EILERS looked very smart in a new black outfit. JEANNETTE MACDONALD wore a brown spring hat and suit. The REGINALD DENNY help was brought to the luncheon as its petite mother could see that it was properly fed. MRS. McINTYRE, mother of one of the new Fox executives, was a guest. AILEEN ROTHACKER and CHARLOTTE GREENWOOD wore stunning creations of red and blue. The guest of honor had to rush back to the Fox studios before she had a chance to open her shower gifts. BESSIE LOVE who expects the blessed event this coming week, was being given advice on how to raise an infant by at least a dozen young mothers present. That's all today. See you tomorrow!

Bulgaria Demands Time to Pay Debts

Sofia, Bulgaria, Feb. 16 (AP)—Bulgaria's foreign creditors must take their choice between a compromise on payments and a moratorium, Premier Mouchanoff said today on his return from Geneva.

"Bulgaria and her business men always have paid their debts promptly," he said, "and if we demand a delay it is not because we don't want to pay, but because we cannot pay."

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SALES TAX BILL CALLED BEST U. S. REMEDY

Washington, Feb. 16—Strong endorsement of a general sales tax to meet the treasury deficit is given by the Washington Post.

In its leading editorial the Post strongly supported the sales tax plan now under consideration by the House ways and means committee.

The general sales tax was first advocated by William Randolph Hearst. Members of Congress, shortly before the opening of the present session, visited Canadian cities to study the operations of the sales tax at first hand. The trip was sponsored by Mr. Hearst.

The Post editorial said:

"As the present economic situation is more carefully studied by executive and congressional agencies, it becomes evident that the federal deficit cannot be overcome by heavily taxing the rich and increasing levies upon luxuries.

"There are not enough rich and there are not enough luxuries purchased at any time to provide needed funds.

MUST BALANCE BUDGET.

"Balancing the national budget is a matter of prime importance for the welfare of this country. . . .

"That the general sales tax provides the simplest, most equitable manner of raising large amounts of money has been demonstrated by the experience of a number of nations.

"The nightmare of tax payments lies in the fact that as a rule they have to be paid in large amounts at the end of the year. As a rule individuals and families are not provident. They do not operate their private expenditures under a budget system. Incomes are largely dissipated as they are received, and taxes building large after the year's salary has been spent mean an extraordinary effort, or borrowing money to pay them.

"NO YEAR END WORRY"

"All this is avoided by a sales tax. The tax payer does not have to keep any books or worry about a debt at the end of 12 months that is difficult to pay. Every day, out of his cash purchases, he contributes a mite that is in no case a hardship. It is a cent or a fraction of a cent, added to the cost of what he buys. His contribution to the cost of government is so small that it is not noticed.

"But a sales tax to be effective must be general. It must ask a contribution from all citizens in proportion to their expenditures. And in no other way can this contribution be exacted so equitably and automatically as through an invisible tax that is added in minute fractions to the daily outlay.

"Every citizen should contribute a fair share toward the support of his government. The sales tax gives him assurance that he will not be obliged to give more than his just share."

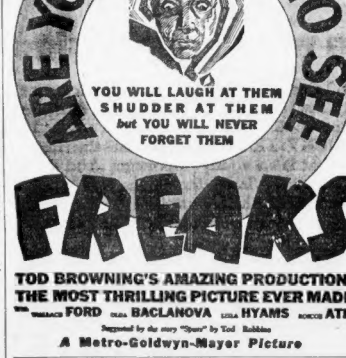
Austria Appeals for "Elbow Room"

Vienna, Austria, Feb. 16 (AP)—Austria appealed to all its neighbors and other nations today to join in negotiations for an economic reapprochement.

The appeal was voiced by Chancellor Karl Buresch who told the German, British, French and Italian ministers that his country no longer could endure the "tangled paralysis of trade in central Europe" and needs more "economic elbow room."

Naval Officer Weds

London, Feb. 16 (AP)—Lieut. Commr. Tyson O. Summers of the U. S. medical corps was married today to Miss Cecelia Peacock of Derby, England.



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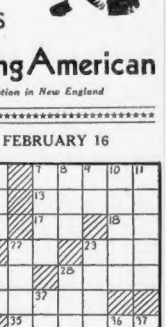

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HORIZONTAL

1—Separate. (2nd word in title.)
7—Period of time.
13—Principal.
15—Massachusetts town.
16—Transportation system (abbr.)
17—At.
18—On account of. (abbr.)
19—To dibble.
21—Canadian province. (abbr.)
22—Chemical symbol.
23—Conjunction. (4th word in title.)
24—word in title.)
26—Girl's name.
28—Affectionate.
29—A heron.
31—Before.
33—Diatribe.
35—A lady.
38—Blister.
40—Used before a gale.
41—Is indisposed.
43—Small bag.
45—Man's name.
46—Prefix denoting priority.
47—To evade.
48—Prefix meaning "not."
50—Highest note in Guido's scale.
51—Egyptian sun god.
52—Chemical symbol.
53—Adult hind or ox.
54—Sacred child. (Scot.)
56—Biting sensation.
58—Type of vessel.
59—Vessel used as a kettle.
61—el. (5th word in title.)

VERTICAL

1—Plighted. (1st word in title.)
2—Preman.
3—Old war soldier. (abbr.)
4—At once.
5—Conches.
6—Greek letter.
7—Town in Utah.
8—Hire. (6th word in title.)
9—Yellow or gold color.
10—Sing in a low tone.
11—Given a hearing.
12—Pertentious.
14—Conjunction.
27—Vehicle.
25—Chance. (3rd word in title.)
25—Type of corolins of flowers.
27—Vice - President. (abbr.)
28—Constraint.
30—Severance.
32—International Oral-thological Society. (abbr.)
34—Ascend.
36—Combining form meaning from stock.
37—Endeavorer.
39—Chemical symbol.
41—A month.
42—Enraged.
44—Musical instrument.
47—Indian.
49—Calm, collected.
50—Tempest.
53—Bread of burden.
54—Use for making drain pipe.
57—Chemical symbol.
58—To jumble type.

JUST FOLLOW THESE RULES

1. Each day for 10 consecutive days (except Sunday) the Boston American will print a Washington Patriotic Prize Puzzle. Each puzzle as historic event in Washington's life will be named. You are invited to solve the puzzle and name the event. The puzzles will be printed in 6 weekly series, each series containing a week, series having its own prize awards.

2. The Boston American will give each week valuable awards to the persons who send in the nearest correctly solved puzzles in accordance with these rules. Winning a prize one week does not prevent competition in following weeks.

3. This offer is open to everyone—men, women, boys and girls—except employees of the Hearst newspapers in Boston and members of their families. There is nothing to pay . . . merely a test of your skill and knowledge.

4. Puzzles must be submitted each week, each series of six in a complete set for that week. Do NOT send in each puzzle separately.

5. Each set of six puzzles must be in the mail no later than midnight on Tuesday following publication of the last puzzle in each days series. Address "WASHINGTON PATRIOTIC PUZZLE EDITOR," Boston American, P. O. Box 2000, Boston, Mass.

6. Early entry must be sent by First Class Mail, postage prepaid. Entries with insufficient postage will be returned by the Post Office. Be careful to have your name and address on each puzzle. Make your entry simple and neat. Neatness will count.

7. You need not buy the Boston American in order to compete. You may copy or trace the puzzles and send them in. The Boston American may be examined at 8 Winthrop Square or at Public Libraries free of charge.

8. No entries will be returned.

9. The judges will be appointed by the Boston American. Their decisions will be final. In case of ties a duplicate award will be given to each tying contestant. Your entry in the competition denotes acceptance of all existing rules or any that may be made during the time of contest.

10. The Boston American reserves the right to alter or amend these rules at any time.

The Puzzle Editor Would Appreciate It If Contestants Will Avoid 'Phoning or Writing.

Third Week's Prizes

FOR SERIES C PUZZLES

1st Prize. A round trip to Bermuda on a palatial liner of the Canadian National Steamship Co.

Among the awards will be a season pass to American League baseball games at Fenway Park and an evening's all expenses paid entertainment for two at Cocoanut Grove Night Club. Other prizes will be announced later.

6th to 10th Prizes. 2 guest tickets to see "Charlie Chan's Chance," with Warner Oland, at Washington St. Olympia Theatre, or the current attraction.

11th to 20th Prizes. Single guest ticket to Washington St. Olympia Theatre.

M.C.O.F. OUTING TO MONTREAL SATURDAY

A committee of young men and women, headed by James G. Tobin, are putting the finishing touches to the program of entertainment for the annual three-day carnival of winter sports sponsored for the Washington birthday week-end holidays by James M. Curley, Jr., Court, M. C. O. F.

Already more than 200 reservations for the outing in Montreal have been made.

The party will leave the North Station, Saturday night, at 9 p. m., and is scheduled to arrive at Montreal Sunday morning. The party will attend the 9 o'clock mass at the Basilica of St. James, and immediately afterward will begin the winter sports program. They will have opportunity to see in action the ski champions of the world, who are expected to arrive from Lake Placid in the hopes of capturing the championship of Canada. Later, Sunday, the party will make a tour of the historic shrines of the old city.

On Washington's birthday the party will tour the retail shopping and industrial districts of Montreal. In the evening they will assemble in the ballroom of the Hotel Windsor at a supper dance. At 10:30 the outing train will leave for home, arriving in this city Tuesday morning at 7:30.

The committee in charge includes James G. Tobin, chairman; Andrew J. Dazzi, treasurer; Edmund L. Dolan, Lawrence Costello, Paul G. Curley, George Hughes, Charles E. Manion, William G. O'Hare, chief ranger; Joseph O'Connor, John Moriarty, John Kelly, Myrtle Capual, Editha Hurley, Catherine Griffin, Agnes Fitzgerald, Ann Quigley, Helen Barry and Margaret Donovan.

HOPE WANES FOR AXE VICTIMS

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 16 — Surgical skill was matched today against the mad acts of a 46-year-old father in an effort to save the remaining three of his six children whom he attempted to slaughter with a hatchet.

Three of the children and Bolton E. White, the father, are beyond saving. Louise, 13, and John, four, were almost instant victims of the hatchet thrusts. Two-year-old Hilde died in a hospital later.

White took his own life with a shotgun after committing his maniacal deed.

Three other children, Kathleen, nine, James, 11 and Malcolm, seven, their bodies gashed horribly, hovered between life and death.

Dr. Gray to Speak on Banking Situation

Dr. John H. Gray, former president of the American Economics Association, will be the fifth speaker tonight in the series of discussion lectures held weekly in Lorimer Hall, Tremont Temple, under the auspices of the League for Industrial Democracy. Dr. Gray's subject will be "Behind the Bank Failures, and the Socialization of Credit."

Eliot Wadsworth Talks on Russia

Eliot Wadsworth, former assistant secretary of the United States Treasury, addressed the senior class of Northeastern University in Bates Hall. Wadsworth, who recently returned from a trip through Russia, spoke on his observations while traveling in that country.

He said the five-year plan was an apparent failure.

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20 YEARS OF ILL HEALTH

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Just eat two tablespoonfuls daily—serious cases with every meal—for most types of constipation. ALL-BRAN is not habit-forming. If your intestinal trouble is not relieved this way, see your doctor.

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READY FOR SNOW OUTING

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LAWRENCE COSTELLO PAUL CURLEY

The finishing touches are being added to the winter sports program of entertainment planned by the James M. Curley, Jr., Court, M. C. O. F., to be held over the Washington Birthday week-end at Montreal. The committee in charge of arrangements includes Charles E. Manion, George M. Hughes, Andrew J. Dazzi and James G. Tobin, chairman, Lawrence W. Costello and Paul Curley. (Staff photo.)

Two More Citizens Lend Milford Money

Milford, Feb. 16—Two more loans, each of $2500, were made the town today in response to an appeal to the citizens after refusal of banks to come through with loans as in past years. The American Legion loaned $2500 and a similar amount was tendered by John J. O'Connor, a retired shoe merchant. This brings the total loaned the town by societies and individuals up to $29,500.

Mother Sentenced as Liquor Seller

Albany, Feb. 16 (US)—Her explanation that she was forced to open a speakeasy to provide for her four small children, following their abandonment by the father, today failed to save Mrs. Rose Renski, of Syracuse, from a 90-day prison sentence. Federal Judge Cooper agreed to overlook a $1500 fine, so that the woman might return to her family.

CHOICE CUTS
Rump Steak LB. 49c
RIB CUTS—SPRING
Lamb Chops LB. 25c
BEST CENTRE CUTS
Pork Chops LB. 17c
FRESH OR CORNED
Shoulders LB. 10c
SQUIRE'S SAUSAGE MEAT LB. 19c
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Vegetable Salad LB. 19c

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FOUNDER'S WEEK

Commemorating the principles on which A & P was founded

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An advertisement published in Harper's Weekly in 1867 by the founder of A & P says, "The Proprietors became convinced that the consumers of Tea and Coffee were paying too many and too large profits on these articles, and therefore, organized this Company to do away as far as possible, with these enormous drains upon the consumers, and to supply them with these necessaries at the smallest possible price. . . . We propose to do away with all these various profits . . . with the exception of a small profit to ourselves — which, on our large sales will amply pay us."

The founder's method of direct buying and small profits to ourselves applies today, not only to tea, but to every one of the 1200 items we sell. Our policy was, is, and always will be, the elimination of unnecessary profits taken on food between the garden and the grocery shelf

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BREAD
Whole Wheat 20 OUNCE LOAF 5c
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SULTANA
Peanut Butter
2 MASON JARS 25c

Evap. Milk	White House	3 TALL CANS	17c
Red Salmon	Sultana	Can	21c
Pink Salmon	Cold Stream	3 CANS	29c
Iona Corn	No. 2	4 CANS	25c
String Beans	A&P—fancy small—whole	No. 2 Can	15c
A&P Peas	fancy tiny	No. 2 Can	15c
Sunnyfield Oats		SMALL PACKAGE	5c
Shredded Wheat		2 PKGS.	19c
Fleischmann's Yeast		CAKE	3c
B&M Beans	Pea—Red Kidney—Yellow Eye	2 CANS	29c
Tomato Soup	Campbell's	3 CANS	19c
String Beans	Iona	4 NO. 2 CANS	25c
Tuna Fish	Sultana NO. 1 CAN	25c	2 NO. ½ CANS 25c
Gorton's Brick Codfish		CAN	21c
Our Own Tea		LB. PKG.	29c ½-Lb. Pkg. 15c
Chocolate Fig Bars		N.B.C. Lb.	21c
Salad Dressing	Rajah	8-Oz. Jar	14c
Double Tip Matches		6 BOXES	19c

SMOKED FISH
At A&P Grocery Stores and Markets
SMOKED FILLETS LB. 19c
FINNAN HADDIES 2 LBS. 25c
BONELESS HERRING 2 LBS. 23c
SCOTCH KIPPERS LB. 25c

Premium Sodas		N.B.C. Lb. Pkg.	15c
Scratch Feed	100-Lb. Bag $1.59	25-Lb. Bag	39c
Egg Mash	100-Lb. Bag $2.19	25-Lb. Bag	57c
Super Suds		3 Pkgs.	22c
Large Rinso		2 Pkgs.	37c
Lux Toilet Soap		3 Cakes	19c

BEVERAGES

Yukon Pale	Contents only	12 12 oz. bots.	75c
Clicquot	PALE OR GOLDEN	2 bots.	27c
Clicquot "Sec"		2 bots.	25c
Haffenreffer	Contents only	5 bottles	25c

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables
BALDWIN OR YORK COOKING
Apples BU. BSKT. $1.35
SOUTHERN
Spinach 3 LBS. 17c
YELLOW RIPE
Bananas 4 LBS. 21c
ICEBERG—MEDIUM
Lettuce 2 HDS. 15c

SEA-FOOD NEWS—CHEESE CHAT AND MENU—ON A&P's PROGRAM TOMORROW—WEEI at 9:45 A. M.—WBZ at 10:30 A. M.

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MARTHA LEE COOKING PAGE

Steak Broiling Is a Real Cooking Art

Skill Needed in Gentle Art of Steak Broiling

Many is the poor butcher who is blamed for tough meats when the husband's anathemas should rest by rights on Friend Wife's marcel. I hold no brief for butchers—in fact, at this moment I'm considering severing my alliance with my present market-man since Sunday's sirloin roast turned out to be blood brother to the dog's stew bef—but I do know that the choicest steak can be turned into shoe leather, through unskillful cookery.

Firstly, the broiling oven—(if you're cooking by gas)—should be pre-heated for at least 15 minutes, at 500 F.—a snapping hot oven. Broiling over coal—or better yet, charcoal—is another, and simpler, story. The meat, we believe, should be seasoned first with salt and pepper, placed on a hot, well greased broiler and popped into the hot oven, coming to within an inch of the flame. After it has seared, it should be quickly turned, spearing it through the fat—not through the meat.

REALLY DELICIOUS

After the first turning, it should be flipped over every five minutes, until done. And this will be 15 minutes for a one-inch steak; 20 minutes for 1½ inches; 25 minutes for a 2-inch steak; 30 for a 2½-inch steak; and 35 minutes for a 3-inch steak. A three-inch steak may look like a small sirloin roast to you, but there's nothing more delicious, when properly cooked. The oven heat, after the first five minutes can be reduced to 375, and the cooking finished at that temperature.

The waiting platter should be piping hot and there may be a small piece of butter melting on it. Another piece of butter is spread over the top of the hot steak and it should be taken immediately to the table. Let your family wait for your steak, but don't let your steak wait for your family.

PARSLEY POTATOES

The steak in the picture today is served with parsley potatoes, string beans, and diced turnips. To make boiled potatoes extra good, drain them when done, put them on the back of the stove, surrounded with enough milk to come half way up on the potatoes. Cover them and let stand without further cooking. When the potatoes have absorbed the milk, arrange them on a platter, pour over them a little melted butter and a sprinkling of parsley.

A steak dinner is distinctively a he-man's meal. With it he will ask for neither salad nor soup, but he will gratefully accept a piece of pie—especially a piece of lemon meringue pie made thusly:

LEMON MERINGUE PIE CRUST

1½ cups flour
½ tsp. salt
½ cup vegetable shortening
Water (4 to 6 tbsps.)

Sift salt with flour. Cut shortening in with knives or work in lightly with finger tips. Stir in gradually enough water to hold dry ingredients together. Roll out on a floured board to about 1-8 inch thick. Line a pie pan carefully with dough. Prick bottom generously with a fork to prevent bubbles from forming during baking. Bake in a hot oven (400 to 450 deg. F.) until nicely browned.

FILLING

1 cup sugar
2 tbsps. flour
2 tbsps. cornstarch
¼ tsp. salt
2 egg yolks
1½ cups water
1 lemon, juice and rind
1 tsp. shortening.

Blend together sugar, salt, flour and cornstarch. Stir in hot water and cook until thick. Remove from fire and add slowly the slightly beaten yolks and the shortening. Resume cooking over a slow fire for a minute. Stir in lemon juice and grated rind. Cool and pour into a baked pastry shell. Cover with meringue and return to a slow oven (300 deg. F.) until delicately brown.

MERINGUE

Whites of 2 eggs
4 tbsps. sugar, powdered or granulated.

Beat eggs until stiff; add sugar gradually, continuing beating. Spread carefully over filling and bake at 300 deg. F. until delicately brown.

CRANBERRY RELISH

1 box frosted cranberries (2 cups)
1 large orange
¾ cup granulated sugar

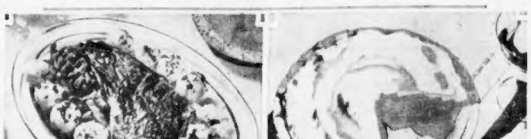
Grind cranberries, using the fine blade. Grate rind of orange, then put rest of orange through grinder. Combine cranberries, grated orange rind, and orange pulp with sugar, and let stand in refrigerator 2 to 24 hours to ripen. Store, tightly covered, in the refrigerator. Makes 1 pint.

PORK CHOPS SUPREME

4 chops
Sliced onion
1 tbsp. prepared mustard

Pork chops are sauted in cooking fat until golden brown and seasoned with salt. Pork chops are spread with a thick layer of prepared mustard, placed in the frying pan and covered with the onions. A little water is added and the chops baked in a moderate oven until tender.

HERE'S A DELICIOUS HE-MAN'S MEAL



Broiled sirloin steak with parsley potatoes, diced turnips and string beans make a he-man's meal—especially if it's topped off with a fluffy frosted lemon pie. Follow the easy directions for these dishes given on this page. Broiled steak is a treat anytime.

Tea Cheapest of Beverages

Tea, they tell us, is our cheapest beverage next to water, for one pound of good tea will yield 300 cups, each costing not more than one-third of a cent. Mighty cheap for the comfort and refreshment that a cup of tea carries to us, don't you think?

What kind of tea do you drink? Nine out of ten women will probably answer, "Orange Pekoe," and by this they probably mean some favorite brand of good black tea.

In reality, all Orange Pekoe may not be good tea. This is simply the name of a leaf of the tea plant, and you can have good, bad or ordinary Orange Pekoe, depending first on the elevation above the level of the sea at which the tea plant is grown, and second, the care taken in the manufacture of the tea itself. The higher the elevation of the garden, the richer the flavor of the leaf.

One of the most cheering things that has come to us in these days of depression is the new half-pound size of our favorite Orange Pekoe brand of tea, that is selling, in the brown label package, for the very moderate price of 35 cents.

Care of Mattresses

Mattresses which are turned and sunned often and protected by washable pads not only last longer, but are more comfortable.

Luscious Hot Cross Buns Have Short Season

The annual debut of the Hot Cross Buns marks not only the beginning of another Lenten season, but gives a definite sign of the coming of spring and the approach of Easter.

Local bakers have been producing fine-quality Hot Cross Buns for the people of Boston town for many years. Last year proved to be the biggest of all in the sale of these buns and this season promises to break the record for Boston bakers are producing finer, richer Hot Cross Buns than ever before.

Made with plump, juicy raisins, spice and other fine-quality ingredients, they are scientifically baked, and combine deliciousness with healthful nutrition and economy. That's why so many local housewives serve them four or five times a week during Lent—in fact, some housewives have placed their daily order for these buns during the Lenten season. My only regret is that their season is so short.

Any Iron Today, Lady?

Your winter diet needs iron! To be sure you are serving foods which contain this valuable mineral, include some of these "iron" foods: Beef, eggs, milk, string beans, dates, beets, cabbage, turnips peanuts, spinach, apples!

Specialty for Lenten Meal

CASSEROLE OF MACARONI AND CLAMS

3 cups cooked macaroni
3 medium size cans clams
2½ cups sauce
Chopped parsley
½ lb. peanuts, chopped
1 doz. stuffed olives for garnishing

Fry clams in butter until brown. Put a layer of macaroni into casserole, then a layer of browned clams. Cover with sauce and sprinkle with chopped parsley and pepper and salt. Repeat layers until all ingredients used and cover top with the peanuts which have been finely ground. Put in oven until peanut topping is roasted a very dark color. Just before serving, garnish with stuffed olives, and serve with sauce made as follows:

SAUCE

1 cup liquid drained from clams
1½ cups milk
3 tbsps. butter
2 tbsps. flour
2 tbsps. lemon juice
1 egg yolk

Melt butter, add flour then heated milk gradually, then liquid from clams. Add lemon juice just before taking from fire and beat sauce into egg yolk.

Woman Seeks Town Office

Winchester's first woman candidate for selectman has taken out nomination papers. She is Mrs. Elizabeth C. McDonald.

WIFE REFUSED DECREE FROM "WILD MAN"

Salem, Feb. 16—Mrs. Jeanette Pettingell of Newburyport testified that her father, Elizar Lamontagne of New Bedford was such a wild man when he was angry that he would even tear the stove apart with a fire going in it, rip the clothes off his wife and even go into the clothes closet and tear the clothing into shreds that hung on hooks.

Mrs. Pettingell's mother Mrs. Eva Margaret Lamontagne of Newburyport, sued for divorce on the grounds of cruelty, told Judge Alden P. White she was married in Fall River in 1907, and that she lived with her husband until 1927. Judge Alden P. White later dismissed the case.

Mrs. Lamontagne testified that five years after their marriage her husband started drinking, at which times he would abuse everybody in the house, she said, using extreme profanity.

She recounted for the court a night in December, 1923, when she alleges she returned home from the movies and her husband met her at the head of the stairs, grabbed her by the neck, hauled her downstairs and threw her out of the house, locking the door on her.

As the couple's son George took the stand Judge White proceeded to handle the questioning.

The youth, 17 years old, admitted he never witnessed any real disorder in the house, that his father was good to the children, and that the only drinking the father did was on Saturday and Sunday, when he drank beer.

Rev. Charles Clerk Dies in Fall River

Fall River, Feb. 16—The Rev. Charles E. Clerk, 57, pastor of St. Roch's Church for six years, died here at Truesdale Hospital, where he underwent a minor operation several days ago.

Father Clerk succeeded Rev. L. Damase Robert, PR., as pastor of St. Roch's Church, when the latter was assigned permanent rector of Notre Dame Church to replace the late Mgr. Jean A. Prevost, six years ago.

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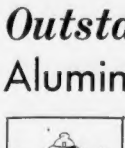

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INITIALS ENGRAVED free on knives and forks with the smart new colored handles. Black, green, blue, or white to match your dinette. Stainless, too. Big value at four for $1.

ECONOMY OF FUEL is the idea back of helpful new recipe book, "Thirty Fuel-Saving Menus," planned and tested by food specialist. Each menu a balanced appetizing meal—practical—and many make saving use of leftovers. Let me send you your copy.

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A COOK'S TOUR Round the World is covered in this week's lessons in the Martha Lee Cooking School. Hungarian Goulash with Potato Pancakes, Spanish Eggs, Italian Spaghetti with Meat Balls, Jap Crab Peppers, Norwood Surprise Rolls, American Cheese Dreams, Down East Potage, English Steamed Carrot Pudding with Hard Sauce, and French Ice Cream. Yours on request, of course.

A THIN TWO-CENT STAMP (not a stamped envelope) sent to me here at 5 Winthrop Square will bring prompt information on any or all of these items. Just clip and check the column and don't forget that all-important name and address.

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MARTHA LEE

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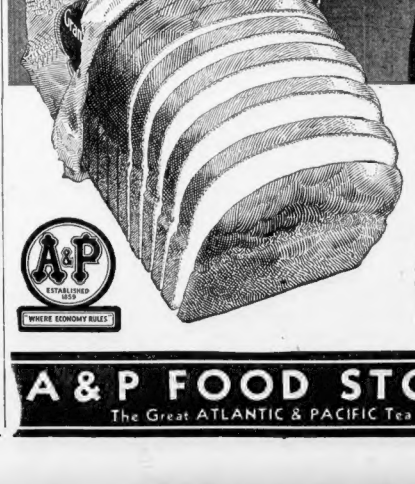

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"FIFI" HOLDEN OFF FOR RENO DIVORCE

By CHOLLY KNICKERBOCKER
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New York, Feb. 16—When the de luxe "echo-choo" steams away from Manhattan late today, bound for that haven of disillusioned wives—Reno, the star drawing room will be occupied by one of the richest and most popular younger matrons in New York-Philadelphia-Newport-Palm Beach society—"Fifi" Widener Leidy Holden.

And "Cholly Knickerbocker" can announce, exclusively, that the only daughter of Joseph E. Widener, multi-millionaire sportsman and art collector, will not wave "Farewell" to the colorful western Nevada hills until she has been granted a decree of divorce from Milton W. Holden.

More than a year ago "Fifi," whose real name is Josephine, separated from "Doc" Holden, whom she married in 1926, shortly after her divorce from Carter Randolph Leidy, member of an old Philadelphia family, and with whom she had eloped, back in 1920, at the tender age of 17.

Since that time "Doc" has been roaming about in Europe, up in Saratoga Springs, down on the Florida coast, and at present is cruising in Southern waters with Vincent Astor on the "Nour Mahal."

At the time of his marriage with the Widener heiress, "Doc" Holden was little known in Quaker City society—and totally unknown as far as the smart set of Gotham was concerned.

As the husband of "Fifi" Widener, "Doc" Holden was swept into the gayest sets in inter-city society at the various fashionable resorts. There are some who will tell you today that society, spelled with a capital "S," caused the former native of Camden, N. J., to become slightly dizzy—and that the blame for "Fifi's" departure for Reno can be placed directly at "Doc's" door.

Others are equally certain "Doc" is more sinned against than sinning—and that "Fifi" is responsible for the smashup of what was termed "the perfect love match" between an heiress and a poor young man.

Like everyone else in society, I happen to know "Doc" Widener's daughter will undoubtedly remarry as soon as she is legally free to accept another nuptial circlet.

She has made no secret of her pleasure over the attentions showered upon her by a personable foreign-born gentleman, who, in the last year, has won a creditable business success under the aegis of that amazing woman, Elisabeth Marbury.

"Reno-vating"

MRS. HOLDEN

MILTON W. HOLDEN

152 LEAVE HERE ON CRUISE TO TROPICS

More than 150 Greater Bostonians embarked from Boston today on two cruises in southern waters, 146 leaving on the Red Star liner Lapland for Havana, Nassau and Bermuda, and six going on the Canadian National liner Lady Nelson to Bermuda, the Barbadoes, Trinidad and Demerara.

In the latter group were Mr. and Mrs. Stanton H. King of Charlestown.

He has been for 39 years superintendent of the Sailors' Haven in Charlestown and is one of 29 children born in Barbadoes of the same father.

Since he left there nearly half a century ago, King has not returned, but on this trip he will show his wife his birthplace. His father had three wives, King says, and all 29 of the children, of which he was the 27th, are living.

Others on the Lady Nelson from Boston on the 28-day cruise were Mrs. P. Emerson, Mrs. N. K. Rindress, Mr. and Mrs. Beal and Dr. Rose Munroe.

A bride and bridegroom, George Fuller of the Fuller Lumber Co., Brighton, and the former Miss Corrie V. Prophet of Rochester, N. Y., were included among the passengers on the Lapland 13-day cruise. They were married Saturday at Rochester, N. Y. He is a graduate of Dartmouth in the class of 1924.

Dr. John D. O'Brien, superintendent of the Boston Sanitaroum at Mattapan, and his daughter, Mary, 23, were also passengers, as were Mrs. Collins Graham, president of the Belmont Women's Club, her husband and their daughter, Joae, five and a half years old.

Bond Issue Planned

Washington, Feb. 16 (US)—The government is contemplating issue of a large amount of "security" or prosperity bonds of small denominations to aid in finance reconstruction, it was learned today.

Man Injures Back Dodging Autoist

Pittsfield, Feb. 16—Police took David Disese to a hospital thinking he was a victim of a hit-and-run autoist. At the hospital Disese told them they were slightly in error. He had jumped so quickly to avoid the car that he wrenched his back.

Hebrew Women to Give Musical Play

The musical play, "Two Worlds," will be presented by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Everett Hebrew School and Community Center Wednesday evening at the Beechwood Auditorium of the Everett high school.

The play has a cast of 24.

Autoist Arrested in Death of Man

Fall River, Feb. 16—Hyman Bogustavski of Chesworth st. was arrested here on charges of operating his automobile negligently and with defective brakes. The arrest came after police charged his car had killed Gustave Ferland, 59, of Woonsocket, in Plymouth st. last Sunday night.

Roszika Dolly Picks London for Wedding

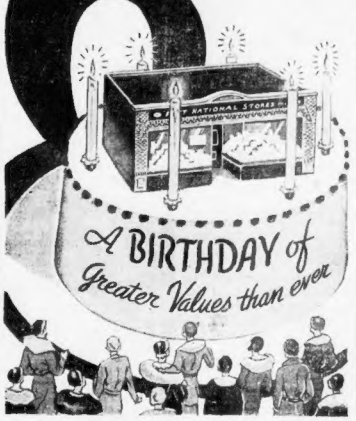
St. Moritz, Feb. 16 (US)—Rozsika Dolly, who this month will receive her final decree of divorce from Mortimer Davis, son of the tobacco magnate, has again changed the scene of her wedding to Irving Netcher, Chicago department store owner. Today she said it would take place in London.

Richard Dix Under Knife in Baltimore

Baltimore, Feb. 16 (US)—Richard Dix, movie star, underwent a minor operation at Johns Hopkins Hospital. He may be obliged to undergo treatment for a week or more.

Dix came here a week ago as Bert Johnson, but was able to keep his identity secret only a few days.

6th ANNIVERSARY Sale



This week First National celebrates its birthday—a birthday of greater values than ever before. This great anniversary sale is the biggest food event of the year—a rare opportunity for you to save money on fine foods. Look over this long list of savings—a list that includes practically everything you need for your table. Make out your shopping list now, and come in to visit us and share the benefits of these rock bottom prices, today.

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Friend's Beans 2 Lge Tins 35c
Finest brand—made from solid ripe tomatoes
Tomato Catsup 2 14 oz Bots 27c
A pure unsweetened evaporated milk
Van Camp's Milk 3 Tall Tins 19c
A white naptha laundry soap
P & G Soap 7 Bars 25c
An outstanding birthday sale value
Hershey's Cocoa 2 8 oz Tins 21c
Your chance of fancy imported brands
Crabmeat 2 No ½ Tins 49c
Cooks in 3 minutes—a wonderful value
Rolled Oats Finest 55 oz Ctn 13c
Finest Pale Dry—price contents only
Ginger Ale 12 Bots 75c
Baked fresh daily in our electric ovens
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SPECIAL THIS WEEK
All Varieties Lb 19c

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A delicious Uneeda Baker Special Lb 23c

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FINAST SPICES
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3 for 25c

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4% BUTTER FAT
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BEST CUTS PRIME HEAVY BEEF
RUMP STEAK LB 49c

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TOP ROUND STEAK LB 35c

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Hamburger Steak 2 LBS 25c

Boneless oven or pot roast
Chuck Roast lb 25c

Tender lean beef
Cube Steak lb 27c

PORK LOINS RIB OR CHINE ANY WEIGHT ROAST LB 12c
LAMB FORES BONED AND ROLLED IF DESIRED LB 10c

»« FISH »«
Cod Steak Fresh Sliced LB 18c
Fillet of Sole fresh Rounder variety LB 17c
Smelts Fancy Medium Size 2 LBS 23c

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
New Spinach Fancy Texas 3 LBS 17c
New Cabbage 4 LBS 17c
Grapefruit Large Florida 3 FOR 15c

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THIS EXCITING WORLD . . .

HITLER: Giant *or* Pigmy?

"When I walked into Hitler's office," says the noted woman writer who was the last journalist to interview Hitler, "I was convinced that I was meeting the future dictator of Germany." What was her opinion after she talked to him? Read the outspoken statement in March Cosmopolitan by

DOROTHY THOMPSON

BESS STREETER ALDRICH

This immensely popular novelist is introduced for the first time to a Cosmopolitan audience, through a human and poignant story about a submerged woman who suddenly thrilled to the wonder of modern life through radio.

HAZARDS of the AIR-MAIL FLYERS

For the first time is told the amazing chronicle of those couriers of the air who "fly the mail" . . . 122 million miles of epoch-making flying adventure. Written stirringly by Bogart Rogers, an airman of the war, about his peace-time buddies of the air.

Speaking of LEAP YEAR

Why the Post-war Male Lets Women do the Wooing

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ADÈLE DE LEEUW: *"Women to marry have to propose today."*

BEVERLEY NICHOLS: *"It's because women have turned pursuers that men flee."*

BEVERLEY NICHOLS and ADÈLE de LEEUW

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vivid characters and interesting events by the world's greatest writers and artists

EDNA FERBER

"That glamorous actress, Linda Fayne . . ." the newspapers said. Edna Ferber tells Cosmopolitan readers just how "glamorous" the life of a great actress really is. She describes her story as "the record of a single day in the life of a brilliant and successful actress." She gives you a view of a stage star's life you have never seen before. And—you will wonder what great actress Edna Ferber had in mind.

LOUIS BROMFIELD

Louis Bromfield, who wrote the best seller, "Twenty-four Hours," tells of an attractive American girl who became a social climber in Europe. Mary Carlin wanted to know everybody who was anybody from Paris to the Riviera. You see what happened to her character as she pursued her aim.

BESS STREETER ALDRICH

She is in the best-seller lists with two novels, "A White Bird Flying," and "A Lantern in Her Hand," and now she is in Cosmopolitan with a sympathetic portrait of a lovable Irishwoman who through a modern miracle won back her girlhood.

GRAND DUCHESS MARIE

In this opening chapter of the continuation of her life story Grand Duchess Marie tells how as a poverty-stricken refugee she obtained work from Chanel, the great Paris dressmaker. A vivid inside picture of the fashion beehives behind the show windows of the rue de la Paix.

HAROLD BELL WRIGHT

This stirring novel of a modern boy and girl among Ozark moonshiners is just in its opening chapters.

ROYAL BROWN

This favorite chronicler of young love tells of two hearts that tried to beat as one in a stormy night at sea.

DOROTHY THOMPSON

Dorothy Thompson, wife of Sinclair Lewis, was the last interviewer to see Hitler, the probable dictator of Germany, and now she is the first to give the American public a frank, fearless picture of the real man. Is Hitler a Giant or Pigmy? Find out in Cosmopolitan.

JOHN HELD, Jr.

Your favorite artist of the younger set illustrates the predicament of a freshman who wore a black tie to a formal collegiate party.

O. O. McINTYRE

A new slant on Manhattan from the top of its tallest skyscraper.

DIXIE WILLSON

"Wanted: Johnny Gard, alias Jack Kratz, alias Spike Donan. Pickpocket. Communicate Chicago police." . . . Dixie Willson tells of a crook who fell in love with a girl who liked to go to church.

REX BEACH

The South Seas . . . a boy knocking about the world . . . Dulcie, a good-bad girl looking for cleaner adventure than Thursday Island offered. Go with them to romance.

PETER B. KYNE

Peter B. Kyne, who owns a racing stable, brings you the thrilling atmosphere of the race track in his story of an orphaned stable boy who befriended a broken-down horse and got an amazing reward.

HENRY FORD

In an interview with Samuel Crowther, Ford the multimillionaire tells why "A rich man should not have any money."

BEVERLEY NICHOLS, ADÈLE de LEEUW

Startling views are exchanged between these two sophisticated social observers on why the post-war male lets women do the wooing.

BOGART ROGERS

War aviator and aviation expert, Bogart Rogers tells for the first time the romance and heroism of the air-mail flyers, whose duty takes them through Caribbean hurricane or Arctic blizzard.

F. P. A.

The famous columnist and wit, Franklin Pierce Adams of the Conning Tower, burlesques the Farmer's Almanack and gives you all the laughs to be found in the mad month of March.

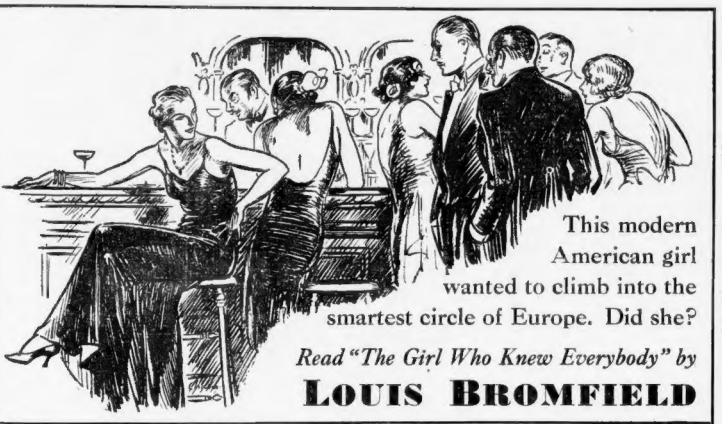
CORNELIUS VANDERBILT, Jr.

A personal introduction into the ultra-smart life of Miami and Palm Beach by the young man best qualified to be your escort.

JOHN R. TUNIS

A close-up of George Owen, banker and Harvard athlete, star of the Boston Bruins and a whirlwind on skates.

EDNA FERBER tells the Price a Great Actress has to pay for Stardom



This modern American girl wanted to climb into the smartest circle of Europe. Did she?

Read "The Girl Who Knew Everybody" by

LOUIS BROMFIELD

This Refugee Russian Princess began life over again in the dress-making rooms of

CHANEL of PARIS

An inside view of life among the great couturières by

GRAND DUCHESS MARIE

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BEACON HILL

—by—

Betty Alden

NOW THAT THE SEASON OF OPERA AND BALLS IS over, there is an avalanche of depression dinners. People who have not entertained for years are throwing these stingy parties and feeling positively holy about it.

ELIZABETH WHEELER

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We were invited out the other night to a friend of a friend's house for a depression dinner. Now dinner to us means a large, long and luscious ceremony. At least cream soup if not hors d'oeuvre and cocktails, roast capon if not a family leg o' lamb, salad in season—preferably avocado pear, and glace de chocolat if not apple pie.

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About 40 guests arrived and sat on the edge of their chairs waiting for what never DID show up. Soon a trig maid announced dinner and we all paraded out trying not to look too depressed but failing. The scenery was not encouraging. A scraggly little fern surrounded by china fruit was all that greeted our hungry eyes. After we were seated small wooden dishes—like your pet's plate—was placed before us with a spoonful of creamed chicken (or WAS it lamb) therein, to which was supplemented a lily cup—honest—of black coffee with sugar, my dears, but NO cream. Ice cream in little cones came later and, cross my heart, that was ALL.

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Even worse than that was the lunch to which we were invited where they served spaghetti and sour wine. Is dying of starvation frightfully painful?

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All Practising for Skating Carnival

HAD A GREAT TIME SKATING YESTERDAY AFTERNOON, not that we shan't hit we like to see, that our expensive skating suit is not entirely wasted. And we always see a bunch of birds who can skate in one way or another. Everyone was practising for the skating carnival which comes off toward end of the month. Mrs. Merrill Griswold tall and handsome was performing and what a line of coaxer that brilliant young person has. Keeps you in gales of laughter every minute.

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At Country Club

AT THE COUNTRY CLUB were the B. H. Bristow Drapers and Elizabeth Wheeler with her daddy and the twins widowed Mrs. Robert Gould Shaw.

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On Visit Abroad

SPEAKING OF THE NAME of Shaw reminds us—Mrs Quincy Shaw who is no relation but a charming person residing at 31 Exeter st. has gone for Easter to visit her cousin Lord Lady Astor. As she remarked to a friend recently—our pigtails used to match. She was in a dilemma when she saw her as to what she should take to her celebrated friend as a gift from the States. It was difficult as Lady Astor does not indeed make up or have a need. We suggested that gold is always welcome in England.

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A Lovely Bride

SAW THE LOVELIEST bride yesterday Mrs. Winslow Warren, who was the beautiful Josephine Gordon of the sunny South. She and Winslow were made one in the Leslie Lindsey Memorial Chapel and in her tailor made satin and glorious natural coloring—no makeup, not a one in she was really entrancing. Mr. Warren is a descendant of Richard Warren, who came over in the Mayflower. The bridesmaids wore funny little apricot hats with long tail feathers and carried talleman roses. We saw Miss Margaret Warren of Dedham, aunt of the bridegroom gazing proudly at her nephew. What a cold day for a wedding!

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To Address Parents

PROF. WILLIAM NEILSON, president of Smith College, will speak to the parents at the Parents' League meeting on the 27th at the Y. W. C. A. His topic will be The Undergraduate and the Modern World—in other words, everything. We do not know what the league has done for the good of the debs so far this season but we could name a number of things they haven't done.

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Daughter Is Guest

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM FORBES of 76 Commonwealth ave. are entertaining their daughter, Mrs Hall of Baltimore, the former Barbara Forbes. We met Mrs. Forbes and her daughter on the street the other day and noted Mrs. Hall's stunning caracul coat.

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Awards Given

SALLY WHITE, MRS. CHARLES TERRY COLLENS and Elizabeth Wells received the beautiful prizes for collecting the most advertising for the Vincent Club program. Miss White received a bracelet from Marcus & Co., New York, Mrs. Collens a china breakfast set from Carbone and Miss Wells a hand-painted tray from Jones, McDuffee and Stratton. At this writing the cast has not been chosen for the Ventures. They rehearse again today at the Hotel Somerset.

Mrs. Collens

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Serves as Trimming on Smartest Frocks

IRISH CROCHET IS LATEST

By DOROTHY BOE

New York, Feb. 16 (USA) — Irish crochet, that delight of the Gibson Girl, is back with a bang.

Crochet needles have been dug out of the attics and debutantes are clamoring for the lace that grandmother used to make.

Remember the crocheted bags of 1910—the ones your mother used to make for Christmas presents for her whist club? Well, the new rage is for the same old crochet, only nowadays they're not using it in bags.

White Irish crochet appears as trimming on some of the smartest frocks that have sailed in on the last boat from Paris. Used as a final feminine touch at neckline or cuffs on a navy blue silk tailleur, it is the last whisper in chic.

One effective frock of navy blue flat crepe has tiny puff sleeves made entirely of Irish crochet.

Linen blouses for wear with spring suits are trimmed with the same old crochet, adding a piquant and feminine touch to a costume otherwise tailored to a masculine degree.

Sweaters of Irish crochet are all the rage, especially in white. If you're wealthy, you may buy a genuine hand-crocheted model which would knock anybody's eye out when worn with a tailleur of navy or dark brown.

If you're interested in sewing dollars you may buy a machine-knit sweater of simulated Irish chochet which looks as much like the real thing that only an expert could tell the difference, and be both smart and happy for something like $3.95. Or, of you're clever, you may crochet your own.

Maria Tucker Bride of J. F. Armstrong

Announcement is made of the marriage of James F. Armstrong, 172 Maple st., Malden, a Malden business man, and Miss Maria Lucia Tucker of 238 Summer st., Malden, which took place Saturday with Rev. Seth Rogers Brooks of the First Universalist church of Malden, officiating. A few friends of the couple witnessed the ceremony. It was the third marriage for Mr. Armstrong.

Big Cake for Hoovers

Washington, Feb 16 (USA)—Master bakers of the United States, holding their annual convention here, presented a 50-pound cake to President and Mrs. Hoover.

Democratic Club to Conduct Whist

A whist party will be conducted by the All Boston Women's Democratic Club at the home of Mrs. Annie Dirk at 3 Bartlett st., Charlestown. Mrs. Dick and Mrs. Margaret Burke, the president, are in charge.

News and Gossip of Greater Boston Society

ANNUAL GARDEN EXHIBIT NEXT MONTH

IN VINCENT CLUB SHOW

MRS. PAUL BROOKS (Susan Moller), popular debutante of this season, rehearsing at the Somerset Hotel for the Vincent Club show.

Committee for Show Is Busy With Plans

The spring exhibition of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society is to be held this year in Horticultural Hall from March 19 through the 24th. Mrs. Roger Warner of Chestnut st. is in charge of the committee.

Assisting her will be Mrs. Charles Selmap, Mrs. A. C. Burrage, Jr., Mrs. John G. Coolidge, Mrs. J. H. Cunningham, Miss Helen Guild, Mrs. N. Penrose Hallowell, Mrs. F. Lawrence Oliver, Mrs. Richard Saltonstall, Mrs. Philip L. Spalding, Mrs. Ward Thoron, Mrs. James P. Whittin and Mrs. Kennard Wood. Mrs. Ralph R. Williams is general assistant and chairman of supplies.

New Feature

Mrs Cunningham may be reached at 53 Beaver st., Brookline, for information concerning Class 1, and Mrs. Burrage at 29 Hereford st., is chairman of Class 2. Individual members and marching clubs are asked to return their entry blanks to Miss Helen Guild, 222 Commonwealth ave., as early as possible.

One feature in which there is no competition is to be shown in the first class. This is to be a group of garden clubs working together for the general effect. This year the mezzanine floor is to be transformed into a cafe restaurant. The second class is for individual members only, and the setting will be changed three times during the exhibit.

Private View

On Wednesday evening, March 9, at the private view, tables will be arranged for supper at a dance and extra favors and decorations will be used. A ballet on toes as a dancer and singing from a stage will be the main throughout the evening. On the second day, March 11, and on the last day, March 12, afternoon tea will be served.

Lindsey Chapel Is Scene of Wedding

Miss Josephine Gordon, daughter of Mr. Bessie Gordon of [illegible] and Boston, and [illegible] was married yesterday [illegible] to Winslow Warren, son of Mrs. Winslow Warren and the late Mr. Warren of Walpole. The [illegible] was performed by Rev. [illegible] in the Leslie Lindsey Memorial Chapel, Mt. Auburn. The bride was gowned in ivory satin crepe and carried a bouquet of white roses, lilies-of-the-valley and freesia. Miss Josephine Warren, sister of Mr. Warren, served as maid of honor. The two bridesmaids, Miss Barbara [illegible] and Miss [illegible] wore [illegible] and carried [illegible].

Mr. Warren was attended by Mr. Martin S. Firth as best man. The ushers were the Messrs. Thomas Orchard of Pittsburgh, Alan W. McCarthy of Maplewood, N. J., Roscoe G. Chase of Geneva, N. Y., and Parke Cummings of New York.

Returning to Boston about March 1, Mr. and Mrs. Warren will make their home at 73 Pinckney st.

English Union Will Honor Labor Head

[illegible] tomorrow at 4:30, in honor of Mrs. Mary Agnes Hamilton, former Labor member of Parliament, and well known [illegible] Mrs. A. L. Bowley is acting as hostess.

Belmont Girl Bride of Dr. A. J. Patek

Miss Mary Morgan, daughter of [illegible] Morgan of Belmont, [illegible] Dr. Anthony J. Patek of [illegible] Mass., [illegible] Parish of Waltham, [illegible] parlors of the [illegible] manse in Belmont. Mrs. Morgan is a graduate of [illegible]

BOOKS—and a Number of Things

By CHARLES HANSON TOWNE

"On April 2, 1868, at the tender age of 24 hours, I became the honorary colonel of the 73d Krimsay Infantry Regiment, an officer of the fourth rifle battalion of the Imperial Guard, an officer of the Guard Hussars, an officer of the Guard Artillery Brigade, and an officer of the Caucasian Grenadier Division."

Thus the Grand Duke Alexander, of Russia, begins his narrative, "Once a Grand Duke" (Farrar & Rinehart).

A salute of 101 guns had been fired a few moments after his birth. Today, he is an exile.

He recalls for us the first early years of his education, and no one, reading these pages, will envy anyone born to the purple. Every morning at 6 o'clock he was awakened, and severe punishment followed an attempt to sleep "just five minutes more." Then came prayers a cold bath, breakfast of tea, bread and butter. "Any offering edible had been strictly forbidden, but we ate it once on a while for a luxury in life. Then came gymnastics and practice with firearms. At the age of 10 this little Grand Duke would have been able to take part in the bombardment of a large city. His days were crowded with lessons; a regiment of tutors was always about him.

"The smallest mistake in spelling of a German word deprived us of dessert," the Grand Duke tells us. "It shall always remain a mystery to me how such an inane system did not succeed in driving our wits and fostering a hatred for all subjects we had to study in our childhood."

But if French irregular verbs disturbed these children, they were nothing to the sound of bombs, which were always ringing in their little ears. "The butler serving morning coffee might have been in the employ of the nihilists, for all we knew. A janitor coming to clean the fireplace was a potential bearer of an infernal machine." Thus they lived, from the very beginning, in terror, little dreaming of the greater storms to come.

There came a day, in 1881, when the Czar, Alexander II, was assassinated and a new regime began. When he was twenty-seven, his duties called him to America, officially to express to President Cleveland "the gratitude of my imperial cousin, Czar Alexander III, for the help extended by the American people during the famine in Russia." [illegible] to get his favorable views of the future and have the palm of my hand read by the spirit of a virgin race." And he goes on.

"On a hot June night, while driving up gayly-decorated Fifth avenue toward the residence of John Jacob Astor, and looking at the row of illuminated mansions, I suddenly felt the mysterious breath of a new epoch. So this was the land of my dreams! . . . Russia! what was the matter with us? Why did we not follow the American way of doing things? Europe! Europe! It was our eternal fatal desire to mingle with Europe that had put us back, God knows how many years. Right then and there, during the few remaining minutes of my ride, in 1893, I commenced to work out a large plan for the Americanization of Russia."

But America was going through one of her financial crises and the extracts from the papers of those days will heaten one in the present state of depression. The Grand Duke wished to come back to us, but his time was not his own. Instead, he returned to Russia and married.

The World War and the beginning of the Russian Revolution are given in kaleidoscopic form, and nothing could be much more exciting than the Grand Dukes final escape—on a British battleship.

He can write, calmly now, of how two of his brothers met their doom in St. Petersburg in the fortress of Peter and Paul, where all the Russian Czars had been buried since the reign of Peter the Great. With them were Grand Duke Paul—father of Grand Duchess Marie—and Grand Duke Dmitri Constantinovich. The warden of the jail, a certain Gordienko, who used to receive valuable presents from the Czar each Christmas, commanded the firing squad. According to the Soviet newspapers, Nicholas Michailovich kept his favorite Persian cat in his lap till the very last moment. Dmitry Constantinovich, a fanatically religious man, prayed aloud for the salvation of the souls of his executioners.

Thus does royalty pass out. It is an engrossing story, full of sadness and terror and courage.

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Gray Hair

Best Remedy Is Made At Home

To half pint of water add one ounce of bay rum, a small box of [illegible] compound, and one half ounce of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. It imparts color to streaked, faded or gray hair and makes it soft and glossy. Barbo will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off.

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1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]

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TRY THIS—[illegible] so keen a [illegible] as if you had maids, use Lux for DISHES. Costs only ½ a day!

THE VOICE OF BROADWAY

By LOUIS SOBOL

Down Memory Lane!

(With George Olsen) ... or how a fella who once had ideas ended up by leading an orchestra

If my memory serves me right, it was [illegible] when I first met George Olsen. I was [illegible] and I was then a [illegible] at the Palais Royale. [illegible] Olsen was [illegible] and [illegible] Ethel Shutta became Mrs. George Olsen.

[illegible] a couple of years [illegible] Olsen, as a [illegible] and I, [illegible] Olsen was interested [illegible] complain directly to me, and possibly, if her criticism was justified, I might do something about it.

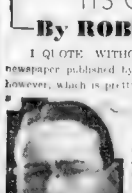
I did. I married her! That's how Ethel Shutta became Mrs. George Olsen.

[illegible] Olsen [illegible] engagement at the Pennsylvania [illegible] Yankee Inn [illegible] Waldorf-Astoria [illegible] Olsen [illegible] Olsen [illegible] Olsen

THIS IS LIFE

HUMAN RACE IS GETTING TOO CLEVER FOR ITS OWN GOOD

By ROBERT E. ROGERS



ROBERT E. ROGERS

I QUOTE WITHOUT PERMISSION from The Tech, the newspaper published by the undergraduates at Technology, one, however, which is pretty successful at keeping out of the kind of trouble which the Harvard Crimson periodically gets itself into. The Tech opines as follows.

Home of several types of integraph, a ball bearing, bouncing machine decidedly fascinating, the Institute has taken under its wing another little mechanism, named an apple-vending machine—to be exact, two apple-vending machines.

'Not that vending machines in themselves are particularly interesting, even to the scientific inquiring mind of the Technology student. Nor are the little glass cages which dispense apples at a nickel a drop in the slot any different from the rest. The whole business is wrapped up in the amazing speed with which science follows the pioneering mind. 'Twas only last winter that apples were sold from a soap box on the corner. Now the earnest student drops his nickel and gets his apple scientifically."

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The End Not Yet in Sight

I am really indebted to The Tech for this little bit of news, for I am inclined to think that it is significant, just as the editors in their laconic fashion do. A year ago apple selling seemed to be the last recourse of the unemployed—everywhere, except in Boston where for some curious reason, apparently connected with local pride, the unemployed were allowed to panhandle but were not allowed to peddle.

Already many of the little jobs that can be undertaken by people who can't undertake anything else, have been taken away. We never see any more on the streets the mild and inoffensive peddlers of fruits and penny candies and gum and cakes, who were a familiar sight in the days of our fathers and grandfathers. The boy bootblacks are a vanishing race. I shouldn't be at all surprised if one of these days we had to buy our newspapers from ungainly iron contraptions stuck up on the street corners, which would shoot out a paper at the touch of a button. Probably the contraption would require a nickel to operate, for the extra "service," and some corporation would make big money, and the city would rake in a good sized license fee, and the boys who later make good would lack the first step on the long road to political or legal or artistic renown.

As I listen I seem to hear faintly the late Horatio Alger turning rapidly in his grave. What would he have done, for his genre studies of the poor but neat American boy, if there had been no bootblacks and no newsboys? An iron contraption that requires to be fed with a nickel can't pick up old ladies' pocket-books, or chase rich old gentlemen's hats or rescue fashionable young girls from under the hooves of plunging steeds. At least, not without first being fed a nickel, and one seldom has a nickel handy in such an emergency.

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Machines Blocking the Road

Neither can one adopt a nickel-in-the-slot contraption and send it to college, or give it an humble position in the bank, that leads straight to the presidency, or marry it off to the lovely rescued damsel. At least, not until the manufacturers make their vending machines a lot more versatile than they are at present.

Every day in every way the road to wealth and opportunity is being barred by machinery. I suppose the time will come when we shall be able to conduct most of the business of life without even seeing a friendly face. Our pockets will be bulged and sagging with nickels and dimes, since there will be no one to make change for us. Long rows of glass-fronted cases with appropriate labels will swallow small coins and shoot out infinitesimal amounts of this, that, and the other commodity, at a bulk cost of three or four times our present prices.

If the machine gives us a tan shoeshine when we thought we were getting a black one, if the collar is the wrong size and the tie the wrong color, if the coffee is too weak and the eggs too strong, if the newspapers bear yesterday's date line and the apples are wormy, there will be nobody to complain to, nobody to have a good old-fashioned, heart-warming row with, no way to get satisfaction. There will, of course, be an address to which you can write, but correspondence on such matters is cold and uncomforting, expensive, procrastinating, and unavailing.

Will the time come when you must enter your class-room at school, choose your lecture from the labels on the contraptions, drop in your quarter, and get it all properly canned, with no opportunity to talk back to the teacher. I fear me!

I suspect that the human race is getting just too utterly clever for its own good, for its own comfort, even for its own continuance. Bit by bit all the available simple jobs are being taken away from all the people who are not capable of doing anything but that sort of job. Bit by bit we are filling our cities with unemployed and unemployables, who perhaps might be able to pick up decent little livings at occupations which need no particular brains or skill, but which do need—psychologically speaking—a friendly face and a human voice.

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Robots Filling All the Jobs

The robot or the nickel-in-the-slot contraption may be more efficient, more quick, more sanitary, more certain—though I am inclined to doubt even that. But the main trouble with them is that they are not human. It is true that we are trying to make our telephone operators, our lunch counter salesmen, our theater ushers, and our college professors just as machine-like as we possibly can, just as standardized and mechanical and efficient as it is humanly possible to be. But there's something not quite right somewhere, and so the next step will be to replace them altogether by machines.

And then we shall wonder more than ever why the unemployed crowd the streets, and why three million dollar drives are necessary, and why industry doesn't absorb the population. How can it, with cute inventors turning out idiotic and unnecessary robots to do their work faster than the state can take care of them? The only remedy I can see is to keep everybody under 25 in school and everybody over 50 in institutions, and then possibly there may be enough work for the remainder. Or else to take a tip from Samuel Butler's admirable inhabitants of Erewhon, and forbid all machines altogether.

MURDER OF THE NIGHT CLUB LADY

New Thatcher Colt Detective Mystery

By Anthony Abbot

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Woman Charges Agent Forged $170 Check

INSURANCE MAN IS ACCUSED ON 8 COUNTS

Defendant Raised $16 "Loan" to Larger Amount, Witness Says at Trial

Although she sought a loan of but $16.08, a check for $170.50 was endorsed with her forged signature, Mrs. Julia F. Fernandes of Lowell testified today in Middlesex Superior Court at the trial of Ernest Ferron, former Lowell insurance agent.

Ferron went on trial yesterday before a jury charged in four counts with larceny and in four counts with forging and uttering.

According to Mrs. Fernandes' testimony, she asked Ferron, then her insurance agent, to get a loan of $16.08 to apply as a premium.

She signed a blank application, she said at Ferron's suggestion and he said he would "take care of it."

Then she forgot it until 10 months later, when she learned that $170.80 had been loaned in her name.

Shown a check for that amount purported to have been indorsed by her, Mrs. Fernandes denied that the indorsement was her signature.

Her first information, she said, that the larger amount had been issued by the company as a loan came when Leo Morris, assistant superintendent of the insurance company, called and questioned her relative to her insurance transactions with Ferron.

CARRIED OVER LADDERS AS FIRE RAGES

MRS. WESTHAVER ROSALIE THELMA

Four of the occupants of the dwelling house at 282 West Third st., South Boston, who were carried to safety over ladders when flames swept the house. Above are Mrs. Walter Westhaver and her two children, Rosalie and Thelma.

Mrs. Margaret Gurriero fainted after she had been rescued by neighbors.

200 FLEE FIRE IN HALL

Two hundred men and women were driven out of Loring Hall in Hingham last night when a fire broke out backstage while one of the bi-weekly movie programs was being shown.

Although the hall was becoming filled with smoke rapidly, there was little confusion and the crowd filed out calmly.

The presence of the fire was first noticed by Charles Turpin of Main st., Hingham, who was sitting in the front row. He smelled smoke and went to the rear of the hall, where he reported it to Officer Henry Wigmore. The latter went backstage and found the blaze breaking out from the chimney.

Before he was able to warn the audience, the auditorium began filling with smoke and they all filed out. The blaze spread into the partitions and went up to the roof in the back part of the building, causing $500 damage before it was extinguished.

NEWTON FOLK "HIGH HAT"

The question of the social superiority of the residents of Hunnewell ave., Newton as Hunnewell ave., Brighton, was talked before the Newton board of aldermen last night. The question came up as Attorney Philip Nichols was arguing for a petition brought before the board seeking to have the Newton Hunnewell ave. extended to the Brighton Hunnewell ave.

Nichols represented the Whiting estate, which seems to have the two avenues joined. He said that most of the opposition to his petition came from Newtonites, who felt specially superior to the residents of the Brighton side.

Hannigan to Talk on Dry Law Reform

Under the auspices of the Women's Organization for National Prohibition Reform, Mrs. Judson Hannigan, president of the Republican Club of Massachusetts, will address the members of the Michelangelo School Center, Charter st., North End, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the Michelangelo school.

So Near, and So Far

Taunton, Feb. 16—Nelson Leonard while playing bridge at Raynham, held 13 spades got the contract, scored a grand slam—but, did not win a prize.

Under Knife

Police Chief Ernest H. Bishop, of Quincy, who faced operation in Quincy Hospital, today. He has been suffering from an internal ailment for several weeks.

KIDNAPER AUTO "TIP" WRONG

Discovery was made today that the auto plate numbers given police by witnesses of a "kidnaping" in Roxbury early this morning were incorrect.

Police sent the numerals out by teletype and flashed the alarm all over New England, only to learn from the motor vehicle registry several hours later that plates of that number have not yet been issued.

A man and woman witness reported to police of Dudley st., division that they saw a man knock down a girl at Washington and Walnut Park sts., near Egleston sq., an dthen carry her away in the machine.

J. H. McLaughlin Delegate

James H. McLaughlin of the Woburn school committee has announced his candidacy as a delegate to the Democratic national convention.

BUDGET CUT IN CHELSEA

Chelsea aldermen slashed $65,000 from the city budget early today in a late meeting that considered all expenses for 1932 with the exception of schools.

The new budget totalled $1,775,335 after city was run of principal's in the sinking fund for street and sidewalk repairs.

The school budget, totalling $631,727, will be taken up by the board next week.

Sale of $18,000 worth of short-term bonds at 6 per cent was also announced at the meeting making a total of $26,000 of a recent issue that have been sold.

Police Want New "Wagon"

Among the improvements asked by Police Chief Daniel W. Conners of Medford in this year's budget, is a new patrol. The present patrol has been in use 15 years.

8 RESCUED IN BLAZE

Eight persons were rescued last night during a fire in the three-story dwelling at 282 West Third st., South Boston.

The families of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Westhaver and Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Gurriero, on the second and third floors, were trapped in smoke that rolled up from the lower floor.

Patrolman Daniel Flood of the Athens st. station heard the fire alarm and ran to the second floor where he assisted Mrs. Mae Westhaver to carry her daughter, Thelma, 8, and Walter 4, down the stairs.

Ladderman Joseph Goggin and Capt. James Lunny of Ladder 5 carried Rosalie Westhaver, 22 months, and Irene Westhaver, 6, down the ladder from the second floor. They then rescued Mrs. Mae Gurriero and her three children, Francis, 11, Angelina, 7, and Julia 5, from the third floor.

WOMAN WINS IN SWAMPSCOTT

In the only contest in the Swampscott [illegible] election, Dr. Forrest Becker defeated George C. Thomas for the three-year term on the school committee.

Thomas has been a member of the committee [illegible] years and was its chairman during the last two years.

[illegible] were elected, as follows: Moderator, John R. Hurlburt, who was unopposed to the planning board for three years; selectmen, R. Wyer Greene, Harry C. Hardy, Edward LeCroix (re-elected).

School committee (2 years), Thomas S. Rubier; board of public welfare (3 years), Harry E. Cannon (2 years), Mrs. Jeannette C. Darling; board of health (3 years), [illegible] Grace Lee was elected to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] water commissioner, Harold G. Lincoln; assessor, Edward A. Mayfield; park commissioner (3 years), Stuart P. Ellis (re-elected); constables, George J. Place, Frank H. Bradford, Willis L. Shepard.

The town meeting will be held Feb. 23.

Banquet for Legionnaires

William L. Harris Post, American Legion, composed of postal employes, will tender a testimonial banquet and [illegible] to Paul [illegible] P. A. O'Gorman at the Venice cafe in Hanover st., tomorrow evening.

WATCHMAN, 74, WAS WILLING TO TRADE

O'Brine Tells of His Icy Plunge in Harbor to Save Girl Would-Be Suicide

"Well, I figured here I was, an old man who had lived his life—and there was a young girl with all her life yet to live——"

And so Peter W. O'Brine, 74, of 26 Fox st., Dorchester, climbed an eight-foot fence, slid down into the freezing water off Battery Wharf and rescued Miss Irma Yeaton, 21, of Chestnut st., Lynn, from drowning.

O'Brine, a watchman, who said he had not been in swimming for three years until forced to on that night, while the mercury stood at [illegible] below freezing in Haymarket Relief Hospital today, where both he and the girl were kept overnight for treatment, described his experience.

"There wasn't any 50-foot swim nor any wild battle in the water for any long period," said the elderly watchman modestly. In fact, the girl kept yelling "Save me, save me."

"When I first heard that girl in the water I started to climb an eight-foot fence at the wharf. There are three strands of barbed wire on top of the fence and my clothing caught. I thought I was stuck for fair, but I finally tore away and climbed down on the other side.

"Then I slid down a wet pile, with one arm around the pile and the other grabbing for the girl, who was thrashing in the water right near the wharf. I got hold of her coat or dress or something but my grip slipped.

"Then I grabbed her by the hair and held her head above water. John Golden (of 36 Vixes st., Dorchester) a watchman at the Elevated power house, was out by that time and he threw us a rope. We may not have got out of the water at all if it wasn't for him. It was rolder's formation."

O'Brine declared he was none the worse for his experience today.

The girl, who said she had attempted suicide upon learning that her mother forgot her pay in order to become a nurse, had a nervous breakdown and had entirely changed her mind about taking her life.

JURY DISAGREES IN THEFT CASE

A disagreement was reported today by the Suffolk county jury in the case of Joseph Angaldi, 2[illegible] of Chelsea st., East Boston, charged with receiving from Emanuel Pesaturo, Salisbury [illegible] of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

MISSING BELMONT HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS HUNTED IN NEW YORK

LURED BY HOPE OF GOING ON THE STAGE

Bus Driver Gives Clue to Three Who Vanished Last Saturday Afternoon

M. I. T. GIVES MEDICAL WORLD NEW RICKETS CURE

Robert S. Harris, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, class of '28, one of the three men who gave the new rickets cure to the world. It is by means of synthetic organic peroxides. They have a particular chemical grouping of oxygen which is believed to be the secret of their power to cure rickets. (Staff photo.)

A new cure for rickets has been announced at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. It is a result of an experiment by Robert S. Harris and John W. M. Bunker, of the institute's department of biology and public health, and Dr. Nicholas A. Miles, of the research department of organic chemistry. Hundreds of animals were used in the tests. Here are three of the outstanding examples. Each rat weighed 51 grams at the beginning of the tests. They were 30 days old and were taken from the same litter. The rat on the left was fed a diet rich in vitamin D for 24 days. He shows normal growth. The rat in the center was fed a diet containing no vitamin D for 24 days. He has severe rickets and gained 9 grams during the test. Note the shortened nose and body. The rat on the right was fed the Steenbock diet (containing no vitamin D), but in addition he received in isolated doses 10 units of vitamin D daily, or 10 times what he needed. While he did not get rickets as did the center rat, he gained but 8 grams and the wetted appearance of his fur, a sign of abnormal organic functioning, indicates that too much vitamin D may be harmful. (Photos from the Technology Review.)

$25000 FOR HER JAWBONE BOON TO WOMAN

By EDWARD M. MARTIN

Mrs. Catherine C. Bennett, of 20 Mt. Vernon st., Brighton, who was awarded $25,000 for the loss of her lower left jawbone, will devote the money toward restoring her health and furnishing a home and education for her children.

The verdict, one of the largest of its kind on record, was returned by the jury in Judge Sisk's session of Suffolk Superior Civil Court against Dr. Vitus A. Fitzgerald, who Mrs. Bennett charged caused her to lose her jawbone through a tooth extraction.

"Twenty five thousand dollars is quite useful but so is a person's jawbone," Mrs. Bennett declared today.

"My first move after I receive the amount awarded me will be to undergo medical treatment to try to repair the damage caused through the removal of my jawbone.

"I will then perhaps finance a business for my husband."

Her husband, Joseph H. Bennett, has been unemployed for some time.

"If these intentions are not too expensive, I will use the remaining amount to purchase a home of our own and to educate my children," she said.

Mrs. Bennett has four children, Dorothy, 9; Lorraine, 7; Francis, 5, and William, 3.

INJURY WORTH $25,000

Mrs. Catherine C. Bennett, who was awarded $25,000 for the loss of her jawbone as the result of a tooth extraction. She lives in Brighton. The money will brighten her family's future.

Hackett, 17, of Lowell

FITZPATRICK IS WINNER

NEW RICKETS CURE FOUND

Following a year of constant ex

Ely to Address Guild

LOAN IS URGED FOR REVERE BRIDGE

Bill Provides for New Revere Bridge

It is suggested the letter says, in the measure's favor that the state can safeguard some of its revenue from the oil farm. As a friendly gesture, at least to the point of local interest, should be willing to loan on tax anticipation notes all the money that the city so badly needs."

PROF. ROGERS TO LECTURE

$5000 FIRE IN WEST ROXBURY

West Roxbury a

YOUNGSTERS AID NEEDY

Rehearsals continue at the Boston Arena for the skating carnival to be held on February 27 in aid of the Convalescent Home of the Children's Hospital. Seth Turner Crawford is assisting Nancy Osgood, of Cambridge, in adjusting her skates. (Staff photo.)

Pay Fight Delays Action on Budget

Brookline Couple Married 50 Years

Horace B. Sheppard, president of the Sheppard Steamship Co. and the Sheppard & Morse Lumber Co. and Mrs. Sheppard celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last

Mayor to Demand Ouster of Burke

Mayor Patrick J. Duane will appoint Thomas F. Burke, former Commissioner of Public Works, to succeed himself as a member of the Boston Finance Commission, when Burke's present term expires on March 7.

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MALDEN PACKING PLANT PROJECT OPPOSED

CITY SOLICITOR BROWN LEADS IN PROTEST

Permit Given by Health Board Subject to City Council Approval, He Rules

It has been [illegible] by City Solicitor Morton L. Brown that [illegible] packing company must [illegible] permit [illegible] City Council.

[illegible]

ALDERMEN MEET TONIGHT

[illegible] Board of Aldermen will [illegible] tonight at 8 o'clock [illegible] Board of Health [illegible] Brown's opinion [illegible] Board of Health [illegible] Board of Aldermen [illegible] Board of Health [illegible] Board of Aldermen [illegible] Board of Health [illegible] Board of Aldermen

Marry-Go-Round

LOVE, IN MIXED FLAVORS TO SUIT THE FANCY

By HELEN ROWLAND

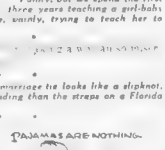
WHEN YOU [illegible]

To a woman, a "career" is just a laurel-wreath on the casket of love.

Funny, but we spend the first three years teaching a girl-baby to talk—and the rest of her life, vainly, trying to teach her to keep QUIET.

[illegible]

To lots of modern girls, the marriage tie looks like a slipknot, and a wedding-ring is no more binding than the straps on a Florida bathing-suit.



Pajamas are nothing but old fashioned "divided shirts" with a Turkish flavor.

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Promptness May Cure 'T. B.'

By DR. R. S. COPELAND

TUBERCULOSIS [illegible]

Dr. Copeland

Daily Pattern

By MARIAN MARTIN

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MURDER OF THE NIGHT CLUB LADY

Colt Agrees to Handle Mystery

Continued from Page 1, 2nd See

[illegible]

"The glass of these windows is bullet-proof," Daugherty explained. "See no [illegible]

"Am I to take it that we are now impregnable from attack?" he inquired.

[illegible]

"Very good," he said, after a moment. "Let's go."

[illegible]

A VIONNET SUGGESTION

Features a Cowl-Draped Bodice

SKETCHED IN PARIS

To give a fast idea of the allure that will prevail in official circles this Spring we are showing the Vionnet frock of pastel blue crepe marocain, featuring a cowl-draped bodice and a seamless shoulder line.

that open on a sheer drop to the street, with plenty of men for the terrace and roof—and you can use Miss Loo inside."

"Let me see the lay out."

[illegible]

"Very good," he said, after a moment. "Let's go."

[illegible]

"Thanks, Chung!"

[illegible]

What does the commissioner find on the mantel in Lola's apartment? Another thrill in tomorrow's installment.

Chivalry of Past and Present

By ELSIE ROBINSON.

A BUNCH of youngsters started [illegible]. They want to know what is a perfect gentleman.

Yes, you've guessed it. They have decided that one of their number ISN'T. Why?

Because the big rough-neck won't take off his hat when there is a lady in the elevator; won't give up his seat to a lady in the street car; and constantly commits other misdemeanors of a like, ungallant nature. Therefore, say the girls, he ISN'T a gentleman.

But the young man persists that they are all wrong. Such gestures, he protests, are not the test of a gentleness. Maybe they were the whipped cream-dressing once, but they're not necessary now. And won't I tell the girl friend they aren't?

[illegible]

Tom protests [illegible]

"I told you you might want to bring," she reminded him, "that that, if like you as the [illegible]—remember that, won't you, Tom?"

Charlie did an about-face at the bank and dropped a [illegible] to talk to Lola. [illegible]

"I'm in great trouble, my dear," he said. "I need about $30,000 till tomorrow night. I've simply got to have it at once."

"Thirty thousand dollars," echoed Leila. "But where can you get a big sum like that?"

"Right here," said Charlie. "You can lend it to me tomorrow afternoon. I can give it back. I could get it from New York but I can't wait. You see, I've discovered oil. I've got to have the cash to buy up options. You'll help me, won't you?"

[illegible]

"You here, Leila," he said, "we won't go into that—I've got to have that cash and you're got to open the safe for me."

"Why, Charlie," protested Leila, "are you crazy? I don't even know the combination."

"That's a lie," said Charlie [illegible]

[illegible]

Daily True Story

Double Reward

LEILA MERRITT [illegible] in the bank even though the bank was in a small town in a country district. She had a flair for figures and the cashier was old and supported money for years from behind the [illegible] at a dividend rate was a better accountant than any of [illegible] officers.

No one would have called her a good-looking but there was some thing about her neat appearance, confidence-inspiring, that [illegible] Harley, president of the [illegible] bank, [illegible] and he was wrong.

[illegible]

WHEN CHARLIE CAME

But that was before [illegible] Castle came to town. [illegible] was different from the [illegible] Bondsville. He [illegible] his manners were [illegible] his English was a [illegible] No wonder Leila was swept off [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

LOCKED IN THE SAFE

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

KATHARINE CORNELL TRIUMPHS AT THE SHUBERT

Girl About Town

—By ALYCE NIEMENS.—

To a Would-Be Wag:

How soothing to converse with pleasant pals,
While nightclub jazzbands toot their madrigals;
On life, on art, and literature to chat,
Or to philosophize on this and that
Nice to be with the understanding crew
Until your tiresome carcass heaves in view!

Then, as you slump into a vacant chair,
Conceal pleasure turns to black despair
At once you start to entertain the folk.
With dull cliches and mossy vaudeville jokes
The conversation dies, and how we rue
Lawa which forbid us making you die too!

—Cam

Going 'Way Back!

Ben Lyon's party [illegible] between the shows at the Ken-Rexall [illegible] about [illegible] up butter-nut than it was of an ordinary variety but it doesn't [illegible] to be [illegible] and [illegible] at the two Sorrentos who found a [illegible] back with two [illegible] candles in it and began to [illegible] about looking for a draught!

Keyhole Snoops

Norwood's American Legion bandsmen are having difficulty in getting their hats to fit them since Natl Commander Henry Stevens of the Legion spoke up at the Copley-Plaza Saturday night, in his best North Carolina accent, and said "That's the first Yankee band that's ever played 'Dixie' right!" . . . Incidentally, Henry is a mere kiddo of 31, and his Southern ways impressed the Hub boys more than you'd guess . . . A swanky Newbury st. frock shop is putting in cheaper merchan.se as a result of having had precisely ten customers enter the place in two weeks! . . . When Roach's band hit New England a couple of years ago the members never thought they would all be wedded by this time—that is, all but one of them . . . And he, we hear, is quite in the mood for it! . . . New England lasses were too much for bachelor inclinations of most of the boys . . . To us, at all events, it was one of the high spots of our Snooping Season when, one night last week, in a pelting rain, a street department water-wagon was proceeding merrily along Boylston st. opposite the Common and spraying away for dear life! . . .

More Snoopery

Joe Pearlman, one of the five Pearlman Brothers About Town (and that Province Agent Lou Walters) got clobbered a couple of the better known city citizens on account. But Joe says it pays to be considerate at times, and the other, because he wasn't looking for a fight of any sort, turned out to be a most entertaining customer. Peculiar, Mayor Kelly, Lou Walters and Joe Pearlman all lead in the way I would back my driver if he be hoped, Lilian Swabey, to be Boston Andrew Jackson, he'd be quite cheerful ad mits the advice from the back seat of her limousine. Furthermore, Joe pet like to be known to his pa ons as Don Juan. . . It's just like Mayor Curley to have Mrs. Mary Hite Cannon, Between Pe and Betty Townsley Washington, Mrs. Cannon Lou Jes Square when we part of the numerous week at exhibit at the Fine Arts Museum. Which REALLY appear like that, right in the heart of puritanical Boston we wonder. Mrs. Gertrude Atherton Hughes, former writer for the Boston American, is back from New York crocheting booties, we hear.

Garrulous Gabbing

*Brighton's Betty Brigham has returned to New York, quick as ever . . . We're afraid Cair Betty has left Our Town flat—there's something very magical about the speed of her departure . . . "Trick for Trick," the "magician" play, has gone to N. Y., too, we might add . . . Mystical heart-throbs . . . Wonder if the three bambino alligators brought back from the Hub Commanson Merchants' Mardi Gras convention by the Boston Savoy are still alive to see the pretty snow . . . We wonder, too, if Mrs. Josh Smith, Jr., is also roughty and Mrs. Sarah Block think any more of Miami Beach than they do of good old Beacon st. . . . Well, they'll probably tell when they get back from this, their first winter Down Among the Sheltering Palms — and exciting nightclubs . . . Who was it told us that Peggy Corbett is giving a serious think to the matter of returning to the dramatic stage? . . . What's really back of Al Smith's recent statement that he, you know, that he just wants folks to realize he's to be reckoned with, after all—not just dramazed with a "Good Old Al" and forgotten for the rest of the campaign . . . Mark King never seems to tire of training around in some kind of a uniform . . . Last night it was his Legion blue one, and with him were James Cresswell, James Hawkins and John Kelly, and the occasion was the presentation of Col. Francis Logan's prize cup to the Hilton Post, No. 114, A. L. . . . Glenn Hunter was set back plenty for that load of gardenias that had Marianne Adams nearly round-shouldered last Thursday evening . . . No denying that Glenn does things right!**

'Barretts' Is Sterling Romance

The Cast

Peter Chambers	Lester Baker
Elizabeth Barrett	Katharine Cornell
Wilson	Bennett Kilpack
Henrietta Barrett	Margaret Wycherly
Arabel Barrett	Dorothy Lamb
Octavius Kenyon	Vernon Downing
Septimus Bevan	Richard Lambert
Alfred Barrett	Frederick Knott
Charles Barrett	Ian Keith
Henry Barrett	Robert Lee Dunn
George Barrett	Clyde Dilson
Edward Barrett	Charles Wagner
Bella Hobbs	Mary Acworth
Henry Bevan	Reginald Mason
Robert Browning	Basil Sidney
Dr. Ford Waterfield	Ivan F. Simpson
Capt. Surtees Cook	John Buckler

By NICHOLAS YOUNG

As everyone who reads the papers knows, right well, "The Barretts of Wimpole Street," first tipped New York on its ears, and then retired from Broadway with protests of a Great City ringing in its ears. There was no need for its departure; it was the season's glistening gem, as things go in the theater. For nearly a year, and up to its final week on Manhattan's brightly lighted frames, it was the playgoer's delight and the speculator's best guarantee against lean and hungry days.

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This is mentioned casually because Miss Katharine Cornell in rare wisdom, chose to make Boston her first stop of call while cruising the north Atlantic, having been prepared for something higher and better the big audience at the subject last evening unfortunately served itself into cashiered [illegible] and proceeded to enjoy the drama with splendid enthusiasm. The players of The Barretts of Wimpole st. have not previously been seen to such [illegible] as they were last night. Perhaps, [illegible] the [illegible] Miss Cornell herself, but [illegible] whether the actor makes the play or whether the play makes things easier for the player. In this grim family revelation Miss Cornell rejoiced to the point in her own way. She became at least three-quarters of the Elizabeth Barrett before you had fully scratched through its surface.

* * *

Miss Cornell, of course, gave a capital performance. That was expected and there was no disappointment. With some liberties natural to the privilege look up to the name of Elizabeth Barrett in Encyclopedia Britannica, a sort of literary courtship, hemmed in on all sides by parental opposition that was little less than insane in its issues. The poet's daughter of Leon Wimpole st. [illegible] rightful if any of her many out-running women of the time [illegible] have by [illegible] upon [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

COACHES SPLIT ON FOOTBALL RULE CHANGES

BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN SPORTS

FANNING

By GEORGE UNDERWOOD

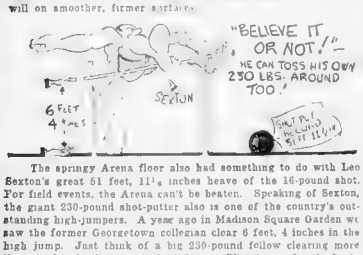
Blizzard Still Rages. | *Leo Sexton Versatile.*
More Record Wrecking. | *Giant Leaps 6 Ft. 4 In.*
Jumping George Spitz. | *Venzke Races Lermond.*

Wonder If the Boys Ever Are Going to Stop?

Father Time at the Record Book better reef all sail and lash things down for the Big At Last. Blizzards of '92 still in rages. The hurricane started a week ago and the barometer hints it's increasing, not abating. The cream of the country's athletes, assembled on the Atlantic seaboard for the big Eastern meets, have struck the top of their form. Competition has whetted their blades to record wrecking sharpness. With the New York A. C. games tomorrow, the Meadowbrook Club meet on the week end and the national indoor championships next Monday, the peak of the blizzard will not be reached until the following week. Jumpers, runners, weight throwers and vaulters will be tested in their last appearances before the big show. Leo Sexton, Bill Watson, Lloyd Leimond, Gene Venzke at any time is likely to step a mile in the high jump, 4:11 2-3 in the mile, 51 feet, 11 inches indoors with the shot—shades of Mike Sweeney and Denny Conneff and Ralph Rose! When are the boys ever going to stop?

"Spitz good for at least another inch in the high jump?" we hear someone query. Yes but. As, perhaps, before he quits, even more. George hasn't reached his ceiling yet. Those who know their athletic onions and watched the lad in his record-wrecking jump at the B. A. A. meet at the Arena last week, noticed that George got help, brief and fleeting, over the crossbar at 6 feet, 9 inches, but nicked it a split second with his dangling arm. He cleared the bar with daylight to spare, but when coming down failed to raise his arm and knocked it the bar off. Sooner or later this second and modern edition of Mike Sweeney is going to get over 6 feet 9 inches—and higher—left elbow and all.

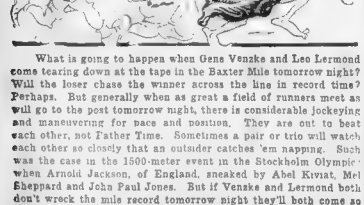
We'd like to see Spitz jump in the Arena again. His chances for putting the record where no one ever will touch it—yet didn't we say the same thing when we saw Mike Sweeney jump 6 feet 5½ inches a quarter of a century ago?—are better in the Boston Arena than in Madison Sq. Garden, New York. The Arena track, narrow, sharp-turned far from rightly banked, cannot compare with the Boston Garden or Madison Sq. Garden tracks. But the old Arena flooring is springier, vastly better for the jumpers. Spitz "liked" the Arena floor. He'll jump higher on it than he will on smoother, firmer surfaces.



The springy Arena floor also had something to do with Leo Sexton's great 51 feet, 11¼ inches heave of the 16-pound shot. For field events, the Arena can't be beaten. Speaking of Sexton, the giant 230-pound shot-putter also is one of the country's outstanding high-jumpers. A year ago in Madison Square Garden we saw the former Georgetown collegian clear 6 feet, 4 inches in the high jump. Just think of a big 230-pound fellow clearing more than six feet in the running high jump. That is one for the book. As Ripley says, believe it or not! With his New York A. C. club mate, Georgie Spitz, leaping 6 feet, 8½ inches in the high jump it looks as if Leo used good judgment in deciding to leave the high jump to Georgie and himself to concentrate on the shotput.

If any shot-putter is to pass the sought-for 53-foot mark—Eric Hirshfeld, of Germany, with 52 feet, 7½ inches, has come closest to it—we believe Sexton is the man. He is just reaching top shot-putting form. His best years, like those of Spitz, seem in front of him. For a while it is likely to be a tossup between Sexton and Brix. But the Eastern youth is likely to improve more than the Californian and gradually wear away from him. Last Saturday night Brix was "licked" by Sexton's record-wrecking heave. The weight men are a nervous, shaky lot, easily thrown out of gear. Sexton's record-wrecking heave jolted Brix all out of form. Try as he might, Herman couldn't seem to "get together," and get his shoulder rightly behind the shot. Most of the shot-putters are "front runners," shaky, scary, easily jolted from mental and competitive poise.

Martin Sheridan and Bill Coe were about the only real "nervy" weight men we ever knew. All the other giants were ably hunters. All were eternally afraid of being beaten. Pat McDonald, Matt McGrath, Jim Mitchell, John Flanagan always claiming strained backs, swollen knees or something or other before a competition. "Bedad, I didn't sleep a wink last night because of the pain in me back," Flanagan would groan. "Sure, and I won't be able to toss the hammer the length o' me arm!" And then John would go out and smash a world's record.



What is going to happen when Gene Venzke and Leo Lermond come tearing down at the tape in the Baxter Mile tomorrow night? Will the loser chase the winner across the line in record time? Perhaps. But generally when as great a field of runners meet as will go to the post tomorrow night, there is considerable jockeying and maneuvering for pace and position. They are out to beat each other, not Father Time. Sometimes a pair or trio will watch each other so closely that an outsider catches 'em napping. Such was the case in the 1500-meter event in the Stockholm Olympics when Arnold Jackson, of England, sneaked by Abel Kiviat, Mel Sheppard and John Paul Jones. But if Venzke and Lermond both don't wreck the mile record tomorrow night they'll both come so close to it there'll be no fun in it. A great mile pair, Gene and Leo. How we'd like to be there when the gun barks tomorrow night!

LEAFS FALL ON BRUINS AT GARDEN

Lineups at Garden

BRUINS		TORONTO
Oliver, rw		lw Jackson
Chapman, c		c Primeau
Galbraith, lw		rw Bimstein
Shore, rd		ld Clancy
Hitchman, ld		rd Levinsky
Thompson, g		g Ehrhoff

Boston subs—Barry, Jerwa, Clapper, Runge, Weiland. Toronto subs—Reed, Doran, Foster, Tyrrell, Sparrow, Blair, Butler, Cotton, Grosso, Darragh, Miller, Day.

By BILL GRIMES

[illegible] Bruins [illegible] Maple Leafs tonight at the Boston Garden.

[illegible] Bruins are [illegible] Bruins [illegible] Bruins [illegible] Bruins

CLOSED BANK CRIPPLES MEDFORD ATHLETICS

BOYS ASKED TO FINANCE SPORTS

The boys at Medford High School must raise a sum of money tied up in the closed Medford Trust Company, but now are going to feel the pinch as much as the poorest depositor.

Previous years they and clubs belonging to the Medford High Athletic Association are frozen up with the rest of the Trust Company assets there is no money available for track and baseball.

Hall L. Kendall, [illegible] of athletics in the Medford schools, was [illegible] to the situation this year.

Kendall points out that the [illegible] on the track and baseball teams furnish their own equipment and [illegible] else schedule and their events are [illegible] from home.

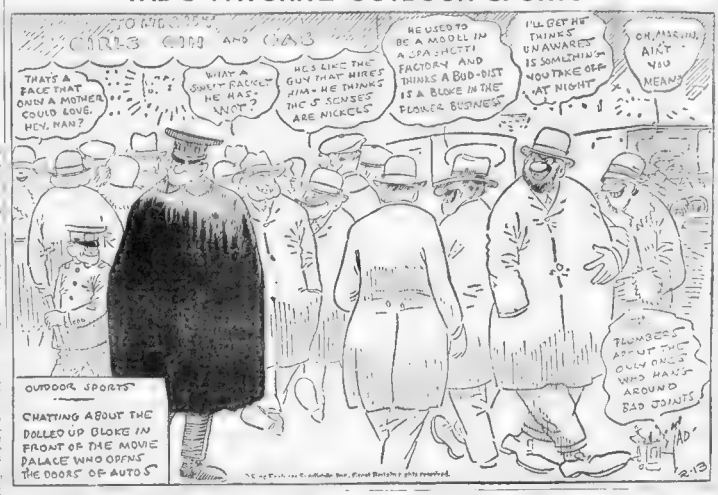
As quite a few of the boys at Medford high are the sons of depositors in the Medford Trust, it is hard to see how they will be able to finance their own track and baseball teams.

One hope remains, however, that the necessary funds can be raised. Medford and Melrose are tied for the interscholastic hockey championship. If a playoff can be arranged at the completion of the Arena it is hoped that enough money can be raised to finance track and baseball.

Kendall has suggested that in the event the baseball team is not able to complete a satisfactory schedule away from home that intramural games take the place of the regular schedule.

At present the Medford high field and field house at Tufts will be kept closed in order to conserve whatever money remains in the athletic treasury. A committee has been appointed to confer with the Melrose authorities to see if a hockey playoff can be arranged.

TAD'S FAVORITE OUTDOOR SPORTS



HOMBURGER KEEPS BOB TITLE

Sox Mascot Earns Job as Trainer

By JOE CASHMAN

Moe Gottlieb, Red Sox

Manager and "Bits" Recommended Gottlieb

The press, always anxious to help an ambitious boy up the ladder of success, agreed

Once on the inside, he determined to gain a berth with the Sox. He succeeded by working his way to the team's training camp at New Orleans the following spring.

He used to spend his winters working in a garage. He went through the old story of [illegible] baseball fan, he is employed as a chauffeur for Mrs. Michael H. Crowley, wife of the superintendent of police and mother of the baseball man.

He [illegible] with New Bedford [illegible] to sign their N. H. L.

BOSTON SWIM MEET TONIGHT

If you think you're hard to fit, we're here to change your mind.

"Why," a lot of folks have asked, *"did you keep your tailors on the job after things generally went so slack. Business is business, not philanthropy!"*

Granted. But what surer way to keep up the standard?

Trained tailors, conscientious fingers skilled in that deft handling that gives drape and style to our clothing, are as much a part of our reputation as our woolens.

You've got to keep your team together if you're going to play the game.

The introduction of Rogers Peet clothing at SALE prices to hundreds of new friends is fine publicity, too.

Recent additions from higher prices continue the interest at the SALE figures — in all sizes — even "extra sizes"!

MEN'S OVERCOATS! Hundreds that were $45, $50, $55, $60—

$30 now!

Hundreds that were $65, $70, $75, $80, $85, $90—

$40 now!

MEN'S SUITS! Hundreds that were $35, $38, $40, $45, $50—

$25 now!

Hundreds that were $55, $60, $65, $70, $75—

$35 now!

ROGERS PEET COMPANY

[illegible] Manufacturing Clothiers
[illegible] STREET AT DEWEY SQUARE

VILLA STOPS RENAULT

By JACK CONWAY

Even a stout-hearted scrapper as Baby Jack Renault of Cambridge cannot expect to get very far in a bout where he only has the use of one eye.

Renault would have continued battling with only the assistance of one optic if given his own way, but referee Eddie McDonald of Brockton thought otherwise and awarded Pancho Villa of New Bedford the winner on a technical knockout after 2m. 10s. of battling in the ninth round at the Arena.

Villa had a commanding lead when ordered to cease fire in fact. Pancho was well out in front before Renault received an injury to his left eye in the ninth round at the Argonne A. A. mill.

Bobby Mays of New Bedford came up off the floor to win from Nap Proulx of Taunton in their 10-round bout. Proulx tipped Mays over with a right to the head in the second round. Mays was lucky to last out the round.

The New Bedford youngster then got going in business and came leaping down the home stretch. The decision in favor of Mays was unanimous, but it didn't meet with the approval of the fans or so each one says. The fact Proulx was ahead of the game.

Incidents: Eddie McDonald of Brockton refused the loan of his [illegible] Kelly, commissioner, intends to [illegible] the outdoor towners an opportunity to prove what they can do in contests in the Hub.

Frank Rowan of Lynn and Jim Shaunessy of this city were the judges.

Joe Delmont of Roxbury won the decision over Johnny Walker of East Boston after a hard fight. Tony Aquarone of Somerset Club defeated Joe Ross of East Boston in another four.

Patsy Pacino of Roxbury stopped Willie Miller of Dorchester in two heats. Give the credit to a couple of left hooks to the jaw.

Joe Sullivan of this city upset Hunter Welsh of Lowell in four heats.

Eno Nicholm of Maynard stopped Andre Chapdelaine in three sessions.

Leo Larrivee Waterbury middleweight, has been signed to appear at the Arena-Club show a week from next Monday night.

Magic Coin Again Helps Conway Pick Winner

Pancho Villa knocked off Baby Jack Renault at the Arena.

And thus the magic coin, which had tipped Jack Conway to select Villa to win, maintained its amazing record.

That coin is getting to be worth more than its weight in gold.

Conway's record for 1932

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ACTION AHEAD FOR BROWNING

Jim Browning doesn't have to [illegible] it when [illegible] for [illegible] he [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

'BEAR MARKET OVER,' SHOUTS WALL ST.

By B. C. Forbes

MONEY TALKS. The sudden substantial rise in the market value of securities and the substantial improvement in the prices of commodities talk convincingly.

Upwards of ten billions of dollars—ten thousand millions—were added to the market worth of securities in seven hours. Commodities and raw materials bounded up in value several more billions.

The new week fortunately—opened auspiciously. Movements were irregular and trading dull.

Future Weakness Should Be Rare

"The bear market is over!" is shouted in Wall Street.

While it would be rash to jump to the conclusion that there will be no more spasms of weakness, it is most likely that buyers will again become as bold as they were before they burned their fingers so badly burned.

Ups and downs—then up and up will be the general course hereafter.

Europe Envious of Dollar's Strength

How absurd for Europeans to pretend that they are afraid of the soundness of the American dollar!

The truth, which is not politic publicly to envy, is that Europeans, is that American currency is the safest and safest in the whole world. After the impending changes have been made in the banking law, U. S. currency will continue to be backed by no less than 40 per cent in gold. In addition, for every dollar issued there will be at least 60 per cent of the choicest securities in the world.

Seeing that nearly a billion and a half of currency has been withdrawn from circulation by hoarders throughout the country, it will take very great expansion in new currency to offset the buried sums.

There is not the slightest immediate danger that American currency will be "watered" one drop. Nor need there be serious apprehension that America's currency will become impaired in its purchasing power. An excellent currency does not depend upon the quantity of money in circulation, but upon the volume of business being done. Hence, if the country's business should increase, as it is hoped and expected it will, the currency will be adequate, even though there should be no increase in the quantity of money in circulation.

Ended by the more dependable formula, as in pre-war days, the market can be expected to show a moderate advance from present levels, with the degree of advance depending largely upon the extent to which business improvement, while probably moderate, will be accompanied by a substantial reduction.

Hoarding No Longer Excusable

Talking of hoarding, President Hoover's campaign to induce people into putting hoarded money back into banks is of extreme doubtful value. So long as small banks were popping like roasting popcorn, it wasn't reasonable to demand that nobody take precautionary measures. Didn't bank failures at the rate of over 40 a week explain hoarding in many places?

Now that machinery has been set up to prevent a single decent bank from closing, excuse for hoarding should be promptly dispelled. In my humble opinion the drive is ill-timed.

Rare Opportunity in Securities

Good securities have suffered during the past months terrifically, ridiculously. The shares of the best companies even in our newer industries having unlimited prospects for growth and prosperity are today selling for only a fraction of their certain future worth. Take the electric industry. Who can doubt that it is in its infancy? America's leading electrical companies are spending millions on research which is bound to prove profitable. They have knit together capable organizations covering practically the whole world.

What an opportunity is presented today to those possessing investment funds—and vision!

—B. C. Forbes.

POLITICS

CAPACITY CROWD

There are 1006 prisoners at the Massachusetts Reformatory, largest number of inmates there in a quarter of a century. Since the institution was established in 1885, only three times has the present enrollment been equalled or surpassed.

"COLD FACTS" PRAIT

Rep. C. F. Nelson Pratt, of Saugus, who failed to convince the House that there is anything wrong with the Adams bonds contracts, and who opposed a receiver in exchange income bonds for a renewal of his contract as notary public, was left in the lurch from the executive council, says that the "C. F." in his name means "cold facts." Also he said, "N. P." used to stand for political public, but now it means Nelson Pratt.

O'BRIEN LIMPS

William H. O'Brien, chief of the telephone and telegraph division of the state department of public works, is limping around these days with the help of a cane. He declared that a few days ago he strained a tendon in his left ankle.

KAPLAN TO RUN

James Kaplan, of 15 Maxwell st., Dorchester, well known Boston constable, today announced his candidacy for the Legislature in Ward 14, Dorchester. Kaplan was campaign manager for City Councilor Israel Ruby in his recent victorious fight for re-election, and several years ago guided the campaign ship of the late Judge Thomas Blodgett, who at that time was seeking election to the State Senate.

DAILY RETURNS

City Assessor Henry L. Daily returns to duty at City Hall every day after being on the sick list for several weeks past.

WHIST FOR UNEMPLOYED

Employes of the city treasurer's office are to hold a bridge and whist party in aid of the unemployed of the city in the ballroom of the Hotel Copley-Plaza on March 10.

GALLAGHER HONOR GUEST

Acting Mayor Edward M. Gallagher is to be guest of honor at the George Washington bicentennial observance of the Syrian-American Club of Boston in the municipal building, Shawmut ave. and Brookline st., South End, on February 28.

FORMAN BOND DEPOSITS RISE

[illegible] Feb. 16 (AP)—Deposits of $587,000 in a quarter of a million dollars [illegible] the Maine bond issue [illegible] the Maine Bond Clearing Association [illegible] per cent have been deposited with the Maine Municipal Bond Bank. [illegible] Treasurer Ralph [illegible] Porter Fox, one of the trustees [illegible] bonds which [illegible] principal payments April 1, 1931, defaulted in interest and principal payments April 1, 1931, were [illegible] the United States, defaulted in interest and principal payments April 1, 1931, were [illegible] of the trust, which operates [illegible] turns financed originally by George M. Forman & Co., and all defaulted as to interest and principal payments.

The plan [illegible] to obtain [illegible] cooperating bondholders [illegible] minimum returns [illegible] the [illegible] period [illegible] January 1, 1932.

Sinclair-Prairie's Merger Proxies In

Proxies for 76 per cent of the Prairie Oil & Gas Co. capital stock outstanding have been deposited in approval of the merger of the two companies with Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corp. Under the Kansas law, not per cent is required in each case for ratification.

Proxies for the required two-thirds of the Sinclair outstanding stock to ratify proposal have been received, it was stated.

Favorable Trade Balance in January

Washington, Feb. 16 (AP)—The United States had a favorable foreign trade balance of approximately $14,000,000 during January.

The Department of Commerce announced today that exports during January approximated $150,000,000 and imports $136,000,000. Exports during January, 1931, were 240,508,000 and imports $183,148,000.

Union Electric Co. Net Profit Lower

Union Electric Light & Power Co. of Missouri and subsidiaries for the year ended Dec. 31, 1931, report a net profit of $9,415,824 after taxes, interest, depreciation, subsidiary preferred dividends, etc., as against $9,541,914 in 1930.

Financial News, Stocks, Bonds and Comment

STATE ST. Hears:

That the corrective setback is being kept well in hand by market sponsors. A recession to around the closing prices of last Thursday is looked for. Accumulation of conservative lines on a scale is receiving the approval of conservative brokerage interests. Low priced shares are favored on the excellent harvest of this group in other upturns from bear market minimums.

The Situation

Perhaps the hardest job the bulls have had with the [illegible] coming down of their new [illegible] followers. The [illegible] of course is naturally [illegible] with [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

STOCKS LOWER WITH SELLING DECREASED

New York, Feb. 16—Important shares were moderately lower in today's afternoon trading on the New York Stock Exchange, with selling decreased.

Fractional net changes were the general rule. Auburn Auto and Peoples Gas moved off 3 points. U. S. Steel reduced a small loss as trading progressed.

OFFERINGS ARE SMALL

Offerings were notably small. Point or more setbacks showed in the second period for American Telephone, Macy, Curtiss, McCall, New York Central, "Mop" preferred and the Liggett & Myers issues.

In the commodities markets the action of securities was mainly reflected with grains and cotton showing an easy tone for a time. The bond market was mixed.

The New York Curb Exchange announced today that the short position in all securities as of Feb. 3 totaled 73,828 shares, compared with 80,796 shares as of January 15.

It is understood the Reliance International Corporation has acquired the unissued common stock of the Reliance Management Corporation with the view of the latter's absorption. Reliance Management Co.'s contract to provide research, statistical and accounting facilities to Reliance International will be terminated Sept. 1, 1932, it is said.

Recent plans of the American International Co. to absorb Reliance International failed to materialize because of the former's failure to obtain the required stock.

FOR PUBLIC ECONOMY

Declaring capital cost and carrying charges of government through-out the entire country have swollen during recent years of prosperity until they are now a heavy burden on the cost of doing any business, President Boardman of New York Stock Exchange, with approval of board of managers, has addressed an appeal to members asking that they actively concern themselves with economy in public administration.

Weekly Federal Reserve board report again showed the unfavorable deflationary trend which the Glass-Steagall bill is designed to correct. Loans of member banks declined another $114,000,000 during the week. Investments were down $80,000,000. Borrowings from the Federal Reserve Bank contracted $20,000,000.

Washington advices that Congress was giving full speed ahead to the bill were favorably received in banking circles, where it was contended that the psychological effect of quick passage of the legislation would be good.

Bankers expressed the view privately that the recent upturn in bond and stock prices had already achieved some change in sentiment and they reasoned that a firmer price would encourage Americans to spend a little more freely and in turn, it was said, should go a long way toward inducing hoarders to bring their concealed funds into the open.

Advance in copper export prices to 6¾ cents a pound, representing a gain of ¼ cent, offset the effect of further foreign unloading of metal securities. The copper trade reported comparatively few selling orders had actually been placed at the lower quotation, consisting mainly of small stocks which customs smelters wished to dispose of.

CURB MARKET SUPPORTED

New York, Feb. 16—Curb stocks encountered a good grade of support in the first half of today's session, and while price declines were progressive, the market as a whole maintained a generally steady undertone.

The utility group showed a disposition to ease off somewhat, with American Gas & Electric the only issue able to record any headway in early dealings.

Commonwealth Edison with a decline of a point to 109, was the heaviest loser, but in such active favorites as Electric Bond and Share, American Superpower, Middle West Utilities and United Light and Power, declines were of insignificant proportions.

Cities Service was under scattered selling pressure, dipping ⅜ to 5⅞. Oils were fractionally lower, with Gulf off ¼ and Standard of Indiana down ⅛.

Specialties were mixed, with Great Atlantic & Pacific Stores an early feature with a two-point upturn. Aluminum was ½ point higher, while New York Steam turned reactionary, falling to 49, for a loss of 1¾ points.

New York Curb

	Latest	Chg.
Alum Co Am	93½	+ ¼
Am Cigar	100	
Am Gas & El	35½	+ ¾
Am Superpower	4	+ ¼
Asso G & E A	4	+ ¼
Atlas Util	4¾	+ ¼
Brazilian Tr & Lt	11⅝	..
Cities Service	5⅞	- ⅜
Cord Corp	6⅛	+ ⅛
Deere & Co	9	- ⅛
Elec Bond & Sh	31½	+ ¼
Ford Motor Ltd	5¾	..
Goldman Sachs	27½	..
Great A & P M	49	- 1
Gulf Oil Penn	29¾	- ¼
Insull Ut Inv	3	..
Int Petroleum	9⅝	- ⅛
Mid West Util	4⅜	- ¼
Newmont	11½	+ ¼
Pennroad	3¼	- ⅛
St Oil of Ind	15¾	- ⅛
United Gas Co	2¼	..
United L & P A	6¾	- ⅛
Utilities Pwr & L	5⅜	- ⅜

Yesterday's sales, 2,000,000 shares
Week ago, 1,200,000
Year ago, 3,154,090

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

1932 to date, 50,983,137
1931 to date, 71,318,889
1930 to date, 103,033,030

1932 High	1932 Low	Div. in $	Sales Complete Open	High	Low	12:00	Net Change
—A—							
3	¾		Abitibi P & P	400	2½	2½	2½	- ⅛
9¼	5		Abitibi P&P pf	100	7	7	7	..
34¾	22		Adams Exp	400	5¾	5¾	5¾	- ¼
65	51		Adams Exp pf	400	65¼	65¼	65¼	+ ¼
15⅞	12⅝	1.60	Affil Prod	200	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	..
5¾	4	4.50	Air Reduction	400	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	- ⅛
16⅛	11⅞	.40	Alaska Juneau	4100	15	15⅜	14⅞	- ⅛
3¾	1¼		Allegh Corp	1000	2½	2½	2½	- ⅛
7¾	6¼	.8	Allied Ch&Dye	6900	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	..
18½	12½	2	Am Bank Note	200	15⅝	15⅝	15½	+ ⅛
42	30	3	Am B N Mf	200	35¼	35¼	35¼	- ⅜
70	54⅛		Sb American Can	18200	66½	66⅝	64⅞	- 1⅝
34⅜	25	7	A Car&Fdy pf	10	31	31	31	..
38½	21¼	7	A Com Alcohol	200	7¼	7½	7¼	- ⅛
8¾	6¼		Am For Power	1000	7¼	7½	7¼	- ⅛
38½	21¼	7	Am For P pf	100	27¼	27½	27¼	..
4¾	2		Amer Ice	600	3½	3⅝	3½	..
15			Am Interna	200	7¼	7¼	6¾	..
22¾	15¾	1.40	Am Mach Fdy	100	20¾	20¾	20¾	+ ⅛
6⅜	4¼		Amer Metal	200	4¾	4¾	4¾	- ⅛
16⅜	13	1½	Am Pow&Lt	300	15	15	14⅞	- ⅛
58	48	6	A P&L 6 pf	200	51	51	50	- ½
6	⅜	.40	Am R & Sta S	1300	7¼	7¾	7¼	+ ⅛
31	24	3	Am Republics	300	25	26	25	..
10¾	7¾		Am Rol Mf	300	8¾	10¼	9¼	10¼ + ⅛
18⅝	12⅜	.50	Am Sm & Ref	1000	15¾	15¾	15½	..
99½	90	6	Am Snuff pf	20	96	96	96	..
1⅞	⅜		Am Solv & Ch	600	⅜	⅜	⅜	..
7⅝	1¾	2.40	Am Sola&Ch pf	100	1¾	1¾	1¾	..
35¾	33¼	2.50	Amer Stores	100	35⅜	35⅝	35⅜	+ ⅛
30¼	21⅝	4	Am Sugar Ref	100	28	28	28	..
134¾	99¾	9	Am Tel & Tel	7800	127½	127¾	125⅞	- 1⅝
81	66½	5b	Am Tob B	2800	77	78	76⅝	78 - ⅛
41¾	26⅝	3	Am Water wk	100	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾ - ⅛
24¼	15½		Am Woolen pf	1300	23½	23¾	23¼	23¾ - ⅛
1¾	⅜		Am Writ Pan	200	⅝	⅝	⅝	+ ⅛
12⅜	6¾		Anaconda Con	6000	10¾	10⅞	10¾	10⅞ + ⅛
7⅝	6		Ancon W & C	100	9	9	9	..
17⅞	13	2.40	Anchor Cap Co	100	14½	14¾	14¼	- ⅛
40	32	7	Armour Del	100	35¾	36¼	35¾	36¼ + ⅜
9¾	7	6	Atch T & S F	2100	85¾	85¾	84½	85¾ + ⅜
41½	25¼	4	Atl Coast Line	100	43	43	43	..
8¼	5¼	1	Atlantic Ref	3300	5¾	10	9¾	10 + ⅛
7¾	3¾	6	Atlas Pow pf	10	7¾	7¾	7¾	..
151⅝	91½	44	Auburn Auto	20300	117½	118⅛	115½	117 - 2¼
3½	2⅜		Aviation Del	300	2⅜	2¾	2⅜	2⅜
—B—							
81⅞	45		Baldwin Loco	100	73⅝	77⅞	73⅝	77⅜ + ⅛
28½	16½		Bald Loco pf	110	20⅛	20⅜	19⅝	18⅝ - 3½
21¾	12⅜		Balt & Ohio	3800	17¾	17¾	17	17⅜ - ⅜
4¾	2		Barnsdall Co	600	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝ - ⅛
43½	35½	4	Beatrice Cr	100	37	37	37	..
3¾	2¾		Belding Hem	500	3	3	3	..
31⅜	23⅛		Bendix Aviat	2300	16¾	17⅛	16¾	17⅛ + ⅛
24¼	19½	1	Best & Co	400	23¾	23¾	23½	23½ - ⅛
76¾	57		Bethlehem St	1100	21⅞	21⅞	21⅝	21⅝ - ⅛
74	60	7	Beth St 7 pf	200	63½	64½	64½	64½ ..
40⅝	34⅜	3	Borden Co	2400	38¾	39¼	38⅜	38⅝ ..
12¾	9	1	Borg Warner	600	10⅝	11¼	10⅞	11¼ + ⅛
10	7¼	1	Briggs Mfg	1600	9¼	9¾	9¼	9¾ + ⅛
8	5		Brockway M Tr	100	¾	¾	¾	¾ - ⅛
5¼	3½		Brunsw Bal Co	400	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼ - ⅛
7¾	5½		Bucy E cv pf	400	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾ + ⅛
5¾	3⅜		Bullard Co	200	4¼	4¼	4¼	..
4¾	2⅜		Budd Mfg	100	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	+ ⅛
4¾	2⅜		Budd Wheel	200	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	- ⅛
12⅜	9¼	80	Burrus A Mch	1100	10¾	11¼	10⅝	11¼ + ⅜
15⅝	10⅛		Byers A M Co	800	14	14⅜	14	14⅛
—C—							
8⅛			Calif Packing	100	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	..
3	1		Cal & Hecla	300	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	- ⅛
16	10¼	1.25	Can Pacific	1300	15⅜	15⅝	15⅜	15⅝ + ⅛
18½	17	1.60	Cannon M Co	100	17¾	17¾	17¾	- ⅛
23	15	1	Case J I cv pf	1600	33¾	33¾	33¾	..
15	9¾	1	Cerro DePasco	600	11⅜	11⅜	11⅛	11⅛ - ⅛
23¾	12	2.50	Chesapeak Co	1000	16⅛	16⅝	16⅛	16½ + ⅛
31½	21⅝	2.50	Ches & Ohio	4200	24¼	24¼	23⅝	24¼ - ⅛
12⅜	6		Chi & Northw	700	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾ - ⅛
27½	14⅛		Chi R I & P 7 pf	200	18⅛	18⅛	18	18 - ⅛
10¼	1C	3	Chi Yel Cab	100	10	10	10	10 - ⅛
15⅝	10⅝	1	Chrysler Mot	6900	12½	12⅝	12½	12⅝ - ⅛
9¾	9¾		Cities Ser Co	200	9¾	9¾	9¾	..
113¾	97½	7.25b	Coca-Cola	1500	113	113	112	..
29¾	26½	2.50	Colgate Palm	100	28½	29½	29½	29½ - ½
9¾	6¾		Collins & Ax	200	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾ - ⅛
38½	28	3	Col Carbon	900	33¾	33¾	33	..
17¾	1.50b		Col Gas & El	1200	14	14	13⅝	- ⅛
70	64	6	Col G&E 6nc pr	100	69½	69½	69½	69½ ..
24¾	17¾	1.60	Commer Credit	300	19¾	19¾	19¾	..
20¾	16		Com Cred pf B	40	17	17	17	..
24¾	52	1	Com'l Inv Tr	900	23½	23¼	22⅝	23 - ⅛
11⅞	7¼	1	Com Solvents	900	8¾	8¾	8⅝	8⅝ - ⅛
43¾	31¾	.30	Comw Wlth & Sc	5400	41¾	42	41¾	42 + ⅛
64¾	54½	4	Consol Gas	2700	62⅜	62⅜	62	62⅜ + ⅛
10⅜	8¾	1	Consol Gas pf	900	90	90	90	90 - ½
			Consol Tex	100	⅝	⅝	⅝	..
10¾	9¼	1	Consol Laun	100	9¼	9¾	9¼	9¾ + ⅛
3¾	2		Continental B	100	⅞	⅞	⅞	..
46	40	8	Continel B pf	400	45¼	45½	45¼	45½ ..
41¾	25	2.50	Continen'l Can	1200	36¾	36¾	35¾	36¼ - ⅛
24⅜	19	2.40	Cont Insur	700	22½	23¾	22½	23¾ + ¼
6¾			Cont Motors	700	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	..
6⅜	5⅝		Continental Oil	1700	6¼	6¼	6¼	..
43⅜	37	3	Corn Products	700	43	43½	43	43½ + ⅛
3⅝	2		Cub Am S of	100	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	..
51	22	2	Curtis Publish	10	23	23	23	- 1
2¾	1¼		Curtiss Wright	1400	2⅜	2⅜	1⅞	2
3¾	1¾		Curtiss Wrt A	400	2⅜	2⅜	2⅛	2⅛ - ⅛
—D—							
15⅛	10	1.40	Deere & Co pf	200	11⅜	11⅜	11	11
89½	65½	9	Del & Hud	200	83	83	83	83
28⅜	21⅛		Del Lack & W	500	23	22½	23	22¾ + ⅛
15⅛	12½	1	Diamond Mat	1400	14⅞	14⅞	14⅝	14⅞ - ⅜
37	24¾	4	Drug Inc	900	53⅜	54	53	54
57⅞	46¼	4	Dupont De N	4800	55	55¾	54¾	55¼ + ¼
—E—							
87⅞	68½	5	Eastman Kod	2800	75	76	74⅞	76¾ + ⅛
31½	23¾	4	Elec Auto Lit	900	29⅛	29½	29¼	29⅜ - ⅛
13⅜	10⅛	1	Elec Pw & Lt	2700	12⅞	12⅞	12½	12⅝ - ⅛
21⅜	16	1	Elec Stor Bat	100	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾ ..
4	2¾		Elec & Mus	500	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
10	5¼		Erie RR	1700	8	8	7¾	7¾ - ⅛
—F—							
5⅛	3⅛		Federal Mat S	700	4¼	4⅜	4⅛	4⅜ + ⅛
15	12	1	Firestone T&R	100	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛ ..
50¾	41½	2.50	First Nat St	100	50	50	49¾	45¾ + ⅜
1¾	⅝		Fisher Body	700	¾	¾	¾	¾ - ⅛
			Fisk Rub 1 pf	20	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜ ..
100½	80	6	Florsheim pf	10	80	80	80	..
11¼	8		Foster Wheel	500	9¾	9¾	9¾	- ⅛
19⅜	15⅝	.55	Fourth Nat In	100	18	18	18	..
3¾	1¾		Frey Fdm A	500	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	+ ⅛
19⅜	15¼	1	Freeport Tex	1400	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾ - ⅛
—G—							
17⅛	11	3	Gamewell & Co	100	12½	12½	12½	12½
6⅜	3		Gen Am Inv	200	3	3	3	+ ⅛
33¾	22¾	4	Gen Am Tk Co	700	30⅛	30½	29½	30½ + ⅜
15⅝	11	1	Gen Asphalt	100	13⅛	13⅝	13½	13⅝
21⅜	11	2	Gen Baking	300	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼ - ⅛
2⅜	1⅛		Gen Cable new	400	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
16⅜	11⅛		Gen Cable pf	10	13⅜	13⅜	13½	12½ - 1⅛
5⅞	2⅝	4	General Cigars	100	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝ + ⅛
26¼	17⅜	1.60	Gen Electric	5500	22	22	21¼	21⅝ - ⅛
10⅞	10⅛	.60	Gen Elec spec	500	11	11	10⅞	10⅞
57	47¾	4	Gen G & El A	400	51	51¼	51	51¼ + ⅛
36⅜	31⅜	3	Gen Foods	2400	34¾	34¾	34¾	34⅝ + ⅛
8¾	6¼		Gen Mills pf	100	87	87	87	..
24⅜	19½	1	Gen Motors	12600	32⅝	32⅞	32⅛	32⅜ + ⅛
86⅜	80½	5	Gen Mot 6nc pf	100	84¼	84¼	84¼	84¼ - ⅛
23⅜	17⅛	1	Gen Refract	400	21½	21½	21½	21½ - ⅛
17⅛	10⅜		Gillette Sf Raz	2700	16⅜	16⅝	16	16⅛ + ⅛
57⅝	45½		Gillette pf	600	57	57	57	57 + ⅛
			Glidden Co	100	5½	5½	5½	5½
8½	5⅜		Gobel, Inc	100	6	6	6	6
19⅜	16	2.50	Gold Dust	100	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼
3¾	3⅜		Goodrich Rub	1500	4¼	4⅛	4	4
17¾	12¼	1	Goodyr T & R	800	15⅝	15⅝	15¼	15⅜ - ⅛
10⅝	7¾		Gotham Silk H	200	10	10	10	10 - ⅛
4¾	2¾		Graham Paige	200	3¼	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
	1⅛	3	Grd Silver Stre	200	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼ + ⅛
6⅝	⅜		Gt West Sugar	100	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝ + ⅛
80	68	7	Gt W Sug of	20	68	68½	68	68 - ½
1¾	¾		Grizzly Grus	200	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼ - ⅛
—H—							
27¼	26½	1.75	Hackack W A	10	27	27	27	27
2¼	1⅜		Hahn Dept Stz	100	1⅞	2⅛	1⅞	1⅞
19	14	6.50	Hahn D Str pf	100	15	15	15	15
11⅞	10¼	1.20	Hall Print	100	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾ - ⅛
15	9¾		Harb-Walker	1200	10	10	10	10
1⅜	⅞		Hartman Cn R	500	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
8¾	7¼		Hewellan Pine	50	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
82	73½	6	Hershey Choc	100	79½	79½	79½	79½
5¾	3¾		Houdaille Hr B	200	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
15⅜	9¾		Houston Oil	200	20	20	19⅜	20
4¾	3⅛		Houston O (n)	500	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	- ⅛
11⅞	7¾	1	Hudson Motor	1400	8¾	8¾	8⅝	8⅝ - ⅛
5⅜	3⅜		Hupp Motor A	100	4	4	4	4 - ⅛
—I—							
16⅛	9½		Illinois Central	1100	14⅛	14⅜	14	14⅛ - ⅛
24¾	21¼	4	Indus Engine	200	32½	32½	32½	32½
4½		.62	Insuran Shs	100				
4¾			Intercont Rub	100				
108½	90¾	6d	Inter Agr Mch	5700	106⅝	106⅛	103½	104 - 2¾
16⅛	11⅜		Inter Cement	100	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼ - ⅛
17¾	12	2	Int Harvester	300	23¼	23¼	23	23 - ½
11⅜	8		Int Hydro El	100	10	10	9¾	10
24¾	15¾	4	Int Match pf	100	23¼	23¼	23¼	23¼
9¼	8¼		Inter Nick Ltd	5700	7⅞	8⅛	7¾	7⅞
10⅞	8		Int Paper pf	200	8	8	8	8 - ⅛
44¾	36½	3	Inter Shoe	100	42	42	41½	42 + ⅛
21¼	15⅛		Inter Silver	100	19½	19½	19½	19½ + ⅛
11	7⅛	.60	Int Tel & Tel	1200	10¾	10¾	10	10 - ⅛
—J—								
24¼	15⅝	1	Johns Manville	5200	21⅛	22⅜	21¼	22⅛
99⅝	88	7	Johns Manv pf	10	98	98	98	98
—K—								
7⅜	5	1	Kaufma D St	100	7	7	7	- ⅛
2¼			Kelly Springfd	100	1¾	1¾	1¾	- ⅛
3¾	2		Kelsey Wheel	200	3¼	3¼	3¼	- ⅛
9½	7		Kelvinator	200	9	9	9	+ ⅛
13	9¾		Kennecott Cop	3500	10¼	10¼	10	10¼
2¾	1⅝	1.60	Kresge (S S)	2100	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾ - ⅛
15½	12⅛	1	Kroger G & Bk	2000	14¼	15	14¼	14¾ - ⅛
9¾	4¾	1.61	Krueger & Tol	6300	8⅛	8⅛	8	8⅛ + ⅛
—L—								
55⅝	44¼	8	Lambert & Co	1200	48⅝	49½	48⅝	48⅝ - ⅛
60	47⅜	3d	Amurh Lead	100	52¼	53¾	53	53 - 1
58	45¼	5b	Liggett & Myers	200	55½	55½	55½	55½ - 1
11	7¼	.50	Lig Myers B	1200	56½	56½	56	56½ - 1
12¾	9½	1.20	Loew's (B)	2100	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾ - ⅛
24¾	15¼		Lorillard Co	100	17	17	16¾	17 - ⅛
7¾	4		Lorillard pf B	100	6b	6b	6b	6b
17¾	13¼	2	Lorillard Tob	1700	14¾	14¾	14	14
50⅜	37¾	2.50	Lorillard Tob pf	100	50	50	50	50
9¾	7¾	7	Lorillard Tob	100	90	90	90	90
	5		Ludlum Steel	600	4¾	4¾	4⅝	4¾ + ⅛
—M—								
17	12¼	1	Mack T Truck	1100	14½	14½	13¾	14¾ - ⅛
60	47⅜	3d	Macy (R H) Co	200	52

COOK-COOS

By TED COOK

Headline says—

Mrs. Dolly Gann To Stump Nation

What in the world is she gonna do now?

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And gals who stay out most of the night
Are often glittering but seldom right.

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BIG IDEA DEPT.

This is Guylas McHatrack, economist, who, after hitch-hiking through the South, suggests that surplus cotton be used for making bags in which to put wrestling matches.

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BACK TO NORMALCY
(Classified Ad.—Swaps)

RIDING habit & boots, brown, cost $50. Take vacuum cleaner or electric sewing machine. Box 7978.

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Little Willie beat up Pa
With an eggbeater. Piped up Ma,
"Willie dear, desist, I beg!
One can't beat a hard-boiled egg."
—M. P. Thomas.

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TODAY'S BULLETIN
(Radio broadcast)

"When I call a fellow a sucker I don't mean anything by it. I just mean he's a sort of pal."
Texas Guinan.

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My gal is playful
As a kitten.
At forty-five
It don't seem fitten.
—Bill Wiley.

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An old maid is a gal who makes advances in years only.

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Q. AND A. DEPARTMENT

Dear Sympathetic Aunt Bella—
I am a great admirer of your daily thoughts and would be very pleased if you could favor me with an autographed photo of yourself.
Constant Reader.

Ans.—Why, you dear, sweet boy, Aunt Bella would be only too glad. But I find myself a little puzzled as to which one of many portrait studies to send you. I have some poses of myself which closely resemble Joan Crawford. While in others I look like Janet Gaynor, Constance Bennett, Alice White, Norma Shearer, Lupe Velez and Greta Garbo. How do your tastes run, Hidde?
Aunt (One Thing and Another) Bella.

MRS. UPDYKE DESERVES A BIG HAND

This is Phronzie J. Updyke, official greeter of the Staunch Admirers of Horace Walpole Frisby Association, Women's Auxiliary. Miss Updyke is planning a surprise party for Manchuria's Clark Gable. "Due to the fact that Mr. Frisby's boat is a little late I have been hiding here for several days," says the eager, giowing woman. "Kindly sympathizers have been feeding me, and Mrs. Frisby herself gives me a nod or a friendly tap with her broom as she goes about her housework. I can hardly wait till I can spring at 'Happy-heart,' as our set calls him, crying 'Surprise, surprise!' I just want to watch his face. And Mrs. Frisby's face."

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TODAY'S OPPORTUNITY
(Classified ad in Greenfield, Iowa, Free Press)

FOR SALE—2 pair new, never been out of the box English Wool women's drawers, suitable for anyone wishing good warm garments, size 42. Enquire at Free Press office, Greenfield, Iowa.

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"The modern college," says Genevieve, the kitchen cynic, "has broadened out to where it can teach practically everything except the student."

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The main problem of Presidential aspirants right now is to please wives instead of to thrust possible manner.

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FAMOUS LAST WORDS
Don't be unreasonable, dearie. Those ticket stubs were probably slipped in my pocket by a friend.

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The prosecution rests.
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Do You Know That---

Electricity lights one-sixth of the farm homes in Indiana.

Total production of Kentucky tobacco in 1931 was estimated at 502,565,000 pounds.

Buffalo gnats have appeared in several Mississippi delta counties, the appearance being the earliest in many years.

From 1921 to 1929 the ice cream business of Kentucky grew from 80,000 gallons to 3,196,000 gallons.

Youngstown, O., hospitals performed 273 blood transfusions in a single year.

Evelyn Dodson of Reform, Ala., received the first degree conferred by the home economics school at the University of Alabama.

Oscar W. Dhyse, Arenac, Mich., farmer, became the state's banner beet grower with a crop valued at $179.50 an acre.

Lemons as large as Florida oranges have been grown at Lexington, Ky., by H. H. Land.

Certified lespedeza seed brings North Carolina farmers $600 to $800 more per car than the common untested seed.

An automatic robot pilot has been approved for use on commercial passenger planes in Cleveland.

Albert Tipper, 73-year-old farmer of Billings, Mo., recently passed the state bar examination.

Advertisement

BEWARE THE COUGH OR COLD THAT HANGS ON

Persistent coughs and colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

Of all known drugs, creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for persistent coughs and colds and other forms of throat troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the infected membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of persistent coughs and colds, bronchial asthma, bronchitis and other forms of respiratory diseases, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if any cough or cold, no matter of how long standing, is not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. Now two sizes 60c—$1.25. (adv.)

Indigestion? Acid Stomach?
Here's quick relief with pleasant, sparkling
BRIOSCHI
(pronounced Bree-oshy)
Gently Laxative
At Your Favorite Store

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The Evening American buys news as well as sells it

We pay for each and every exclusive news and photo tip that results in a story or picture. No limit on price for tips on extraordinary, exclusive stories.

AMERICAN TIP EDITOR,
LIBERTY 4000

THIMBLE THEATRE, starring POPEYE — **Now Showing—"The Weaker Sex"**

HE DON'T HIT BOSS HE KICKS WITH HIS FISTS
I WANTED HIM PUT AWAY! WHY DIDN'T YOU SHOOT HIM?
WELL AFTER THE FIGHT STARTED I DIDN'T HAVE TIME!
I GUESS THINGS'LL BE ALL RIGHT THOUGH - I SENT SUNK TO HOLD UP THE T-BONE GAL - BETTER STICK TO GUNS, SHORTY AND LEAVE THE FIST BUSINESS TO MEN.
DON'T SAY I AIN'T A MAN. I WEIGH TWO HUNDRED POUNDS - I SHOULD HAVE BUSTED HIS JAW WITH ONE LICK.
YEAH, YOU SHOULD HAVE - BUT YOU DIDN'T
THAT SAILOR AIN'T NO BREAD AND HONEY-HE AIN'T NO GREEN PASTURE!
ANYBODY ELSE FEELIN TOUGH? STEP UP!
WILL YOU HAND ME ALL YOUR MONEY OR MUST I USE MY OWN METHOD TO GET IT?
YOU BET!
BOP
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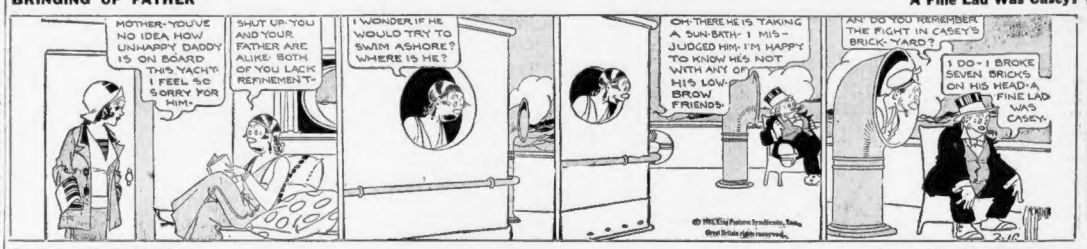
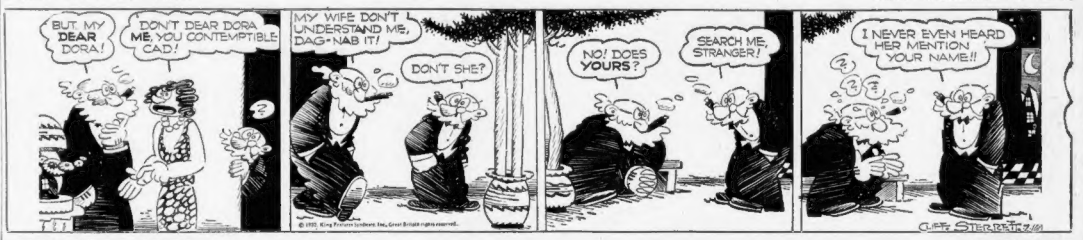
BRINGING UP FATHER — **A Fine Lad Was Casey!**


MOTHER-YOU'VE NO IDEA HOW UNHAPPY DADDY IS ON BOARD THIS YACHT! I FEEL SO SORRY FOR HIM-
SHUT UP! YOU AND YOUR FATHER ARE ALIKE. BOTH OF YOU LACK REFINEMENT-
I WONDER IF HE WOULD TRY TO SWIM ASHORE? WHERE IS HE?
OH-THERE HE IS TAKING A SUN-BATH- I MIS-JUDGED HIM- I'M HAPPY TO KNOW HE'S NOT WITH ANY OF HIS LOW-BROW FRIENDS.
AN' DO YOU REMEMBER THE FIGHT IN CASEY'S BRICK-YARD?
I DO - I BROKE SEVEN BRICKS ON HIS HEAD - A FINE LAD WAS CASEY.

POLLY AND HER PALS — **Never Mentioned His Name**


BUT, MY DEAR DORA!
DON'T DEAR DORA ME, YOU CONTEMPTIBLE CAD!
MY WIFE DON'T UNDERSTAND ME, DAG-NAB IT!
DON'T SHE?
NO! DOES YOURS?
SEARCH ME, STRANGER!
I NEVER EVEN HEARD HER MENTION YOUR NAME!!
CLIFF STERRETT

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY — **The Doll Maker**

I WANNA ASK YOU SOMETHIN', JOAN — 'COURSE, IT AIN'T NONE OF MY BUSINESS — BUT I THINK YOU'RE GRAND — AN' I THINK YOUR MOTHER IS GRAND, TOO — BUT I'M AFRAID YOU'LL GET MAD AT ME — !?
I WOULDN'T GET MAD AT YOU, ANNIE — I'LL TELL YOU WHATEVER YOU WANT TO KNOW — IF I CAN!
WELL, YOU SEE, JOAN — YOU LIKE TO MAKE LOVELY LITTLE DOLLS — AN' HONEST, YOU MAKE 'EM GRAND —
— YOUR MOTHER HAS TO WASH CLOTHES FOR FOLKS AN' SHE WORKS AWFUL HARD — AN' BESIDES, SHE MINDS KIDS — WHILE THEIR MOTHERS GO TO WORK — AN', OF COURSE, SHE COULD USE A LITTLE EXTRA COIN — WE ALL COULD —
— SO I WONDERED — WOULD YOU MIND SELLING SOME OF THESE CUTE LITTLE DOLLS? THEN YOU COULD GIVE THE MONEY TO YOUR MOTHER —
OH, THAT'D BE JUST GORGEOUS — BUT WHO WANT TO BUY THEM??
DARRELL McCLURE

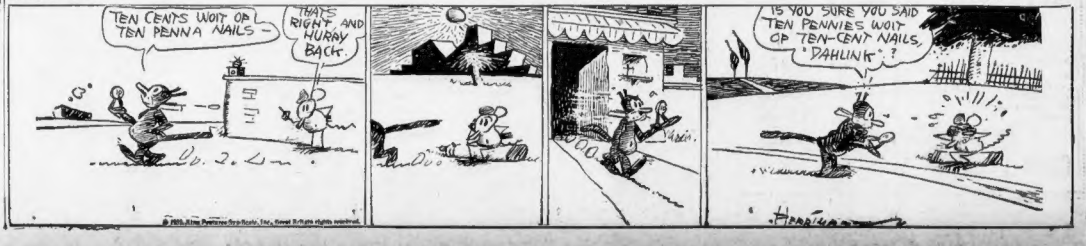
BARNEY GOOGLE — **An Affectionate Gesture, But!**

SPARKY WILL BE OKAY IN A DAY OR SO - DON'T WORRY!
I GUESS YOU KNOW THERE'S BEEN SOME TALK ABOUT CALLIN' OFF THE BIG DERBY NEXT SATURDAY
YEH! SINCE THAT NAG O' NOURN GOT THAT GOAT GLAND OPERATION HE'S LOST A LOT O' PRESTIGE.
SPARKY'S ALL RIGHT - NOBODY'D EVER KNOW HE HAD A GOAT GLAND - LOOKIT HIM — LOOKIT THE WAY HE BOWS HIS HEAD WHEN I PET HIM, SEE?
SPARK PLUG
BAAAA
DESPICH
FEB. 16

TIM TYLER'S FLYING LUCK — **A Forceful Persuader**

IT IS HIS EXCELLENCY, COUNT KARLINI'S COMMAND THAT YOU ACCOMPANY ME BACK TO HIS CASTLE, YOUR HIGHNESS, STEP ASIDE, BOY —!
CAN YOU NOT HEAR? STEP ASIDE —!
IF YOU TRY TO COME ANY CLOSER TO THE PRINCESS, I'LL BOUNCE THIS ROCK OFF YOUR HEAD —!?
NO-NO YOU SHALL NOT TAKE ME! YOU SHALL NOT TAKE ME!!
I HAVE NO TIME TO MEDDLE WITH YOUNG UPSTARTS —!
CAPTAIN RAMOS! HELP HELP
NO-NO I SHALL NOT GO! NO-NO
THEN WITH REGRET I MUST USE FORCE PRINCESS —!

KRAZY KAT — **"Tactless" Trader**


TEN CENTS WOIT OR TEN PENNA NAILS —
THAT'S RIGHT AND HURAY BACK.
IS YOU SURE YOU SAID TEN PENNIES WOIT OR TEN-CENT NAILS, DAHLINK?

RADIO AUDIENCE KEEN

Human Traits Win Public Acclaim

By N. F. T.

Talking to or singing for the vast radio audience is fast becoming, if it has not always been, a matter of catering to the finest sensibilities of loud-speaker patrons. Microphone artists are liked for an ability to make friends. They succeed as broadcasting attractions according to voice personality.

Such traits count as much as talent itself. Perhaps it may sound strange, yet Kate Smith, Morton Downey or Tony Wons would outshine Geraldine Farrar, John McCormack and John Barrymore in many parions.

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VETERANS' FAVORITE

That situation, judging from letters being written to this diligent desk, has come about because well known personalities have developed a knack of talking and singing to people as well as for them. Considered today's "Good Samaritan," for example, Elsie Janis is nominated by a reader who likes the way Elsie "carries on" the work she became famous for during the World War.

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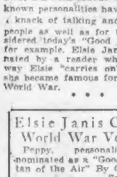
Elsie Janis Cheers World War Veterans

Peppy, personality girl nominated as a "Good Samaritan of the Air" By George Frazier



Elsie Janis

Savard of Stoneham, whose letter says:

"After 11 years of tries to make veterans forget their sorrows, just as she did during the never-to-be-forgotten conflict."

Do you know of a human act performed by any radio broadcaster? Send the Boston American his or her name. If that person is nominated, two tickets for Loew's State or Orpheum Theater will be mailed to you at once.

Yesterday marked an important change in the Clara, Lu and Em feature through WBZ. Three peppy girls, airing their chatter at 9:45 p. m. heretofore, take to the waves henceforth in the morning, between 10:15 and 10:30.

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Linus (WNAC) Travers has been working up an interview with Ann Pennington, the bit originating in night club atmosphere of the Grenoble Cafe tonight at 6:45.. Ann will 'Ann Sir" questions propounded by Linus while both are seated at a table. Linus was also recently overheard putting in some verbal promotion regarding Ranny Weeks, no doubt having said colorful young maestro in mind for regular orchestra and floor show duty at the Piedmont st. rendezvous. There's a likelihood.

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Those rough, often breathtaking he-man "Death Valley" programs are written and directed by a very quiet, unassuming GIRL—imagine! Ruth Cornwell is the fair, reticent dramatist who arranges woolly western radio offerings based on observations among old timers while traveling through California and Nevada not many years back.

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LOCAL LATHER

With commercial mindedness attending broadcasts, it seems like studio Salons might glimpse opportunity in the growing visitation of people who turn up at sound sanctums to "see" a program presented . . . Boss men might even consider selling admission tickets, whereupon the "Radio Box Office" would become a reality instead of just something to talk about . . . Francis P. (Tip) O'Neill leads Police Commissioner Hultman to the "mike" (WNAC) tomorrow night, marking our Hub law enforcement boss' second talking turn on the air with Tip . . . Some subscribers don't care for the way Carleton (WEEI) Dickerman says "vodeville," but his enunciation is correct, and "vawdeevil" is all wrong . . . Mrs. Smith of East Walpole may be pleased to learn Ray Perkins and George Jessel are two different chaps . . . Someone apparently gave this lady listener an idea they were one and the same.

A thrilling

EDGAR WALLACE MYSTERY TONIGHT

WNAC . . . 9.30 P. M.

Every Tuesday and Wednesday at this same time the makers of ENO EFFERVESCENT SALT bring you those gripping radio dramas by the famous

ENO CRIME CLUB

ED. YOUNG

"The (Original) Yankee Philosopher"

Tonight at 7:00 on Station WAAB

A Boston American Feature

Evening American on the Air

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A complete radio daily newspaper—15 minutes of news, markets, fashions, features, sports and special entertainment.

213 M.—STATION WAAB—1410 K. C.
250 M.—WORC, Worcester—1200 K. C.

7:45- 8:00 A. M.—CITY EDITION OF THE AIR.
11:00-11:15 A. M.—FEATURE PERIOD.
Mon., Wed. (Fri., 11:15-11:30)—Martha Lee's Homemaking Class.
Tuesday—Uncle Ted, Farm and Garden Talk .
Thursday—Ann Ardeen on Fashions and Beauty.
Saturday—Feature Forecaster; News Flashes.
11:00-12:15 P. M.—PEACH EDITION OF THE AIR.
2:45- 3:00 P. M.—SEVEN STAR EDITION OF THE AIR.
Stock Market Quotations; News Flashes.
7:00- 7:15 P. M.—SEVEN O'CLOCK EDITION OF THE AIR.
News Flashes; Features.

For Those Who Dance

7:15—WAAB—Joe Solomon music.
7:15—WEEI—Jack Chapman Orchestra.
8:15—WNAC—Abe Lyman Band.
9:00—WNAC—Ben Bernie music.
9:30—WEEI—Veerhees music.
10:00—WEEI—Dance Orchestra.
10:30—WNAC—Solomon music.
11:15—WEEI—Albert Orchestra.
11:30—WAAB—Olsen Orchestra.
12:00—WNAC—Arnheim's music.
12:30—WNAC—Dance music.

Ten High Spots

6:15—WBZ—Gov. Winant.
6:45—WAAB—Streix Orchestra.
7:00—WNAC—Current Events.
8:00—WEEI—Frank and Julia.
8:30—WEEI—Mary and Bob.
9:00—WEEI—Musical Magazine.
9:30—WBZ—Great Personalities.
10:00—WAAB—Opera Miniatures.
10:30—WBZ—Paris Night Life.
11:15—WAAB—Barlow Concert.

Tuesday, February 16

4:30 P. M.
WAAB—Organ.
WNAC—George Hall Orchestra.
WBZ—Quotations.
WEEI—Organ.

4:45 P. M.
WBZ—"Forbidden."
WEEI—Current English course.
WHDH—Peggy Rais, guitar.
WLOE—Y. W. C. A. talk.

5:00 P. M.
WAAB—Vivian Ruth, songs.
WNAC—Dance Parade.
WBZ—Children's program.
WEEI—Baritone Recital.
WHDH—Musicale.
WLOE—Merchants' program.
WBSO—Hoopie Club.

5:15 P. M.
WAAB—Meet the Artist.
WNAC—Old Man Sunshine.
WEEI—Skippy.
WHDH—Piano.

5:30 P. M.
WAAB—Sally Sax.
WNAC—Musical Mirror.
WBZ—Agricultural markets; (5:40) Uncle Ezekiel.
WEEI—Irish Minstrels.
WHDH—Hawaiian orchestra.

5:45 P. M.
WAAB—Going to Press.
WNAC—Joe Solomon Orchestra.

6:00 P. M.
WAAB—Art Jarrett.
WNAC—Standing of Contract Bridge Contestants, "Broadway."
WBZ—Dinner music; Sport talk.
WEEI—Sert Room music.
WHDH—Vocal program.
WLOE—Mother Goose Club.

6:15 P. M.
WAAB—Reis and Dunn.
WNAC—Eleanor Talent.
WBZ—Governor Winant of N. H.

6:30 P. M.
WAAB—Sino-Japanese situation.
WNAC—Big Brother Spelling Bee.
WBZ—Ray Perkins.
WEEI—Old Painter; news.
WHDH—News.
WLOE—Modemeers.

6:45 P. M.
WAAB—Streix Orchestra.
WNAC—Buddy Doerle.
WBZ—Lowell Thomas Topics.
WEEI—Stebbins Boys.
WHDH—Variety program.

7:00 P. M.
WAAB—American Globe Trotter.
WNAC—Myrt and Marge.
WBZ—Amos 'n' Andy.
WEEI—Song program.

7:15 P. M.
WAAB—Joe Solomon music.
WNAC—Sing Crosby.
WBZ—Blackstone.
WEEI—Lanin's Orchestra.

7:30 P. M.
WAAB—Big Brother.
WNAC—Current events.
WBZ—Sterling Four.
WEEI—Alice Joy.
WLOE—Polish program.

7:45 P. M.
WAAB—String ensemble.
WNAC—Quarter hour.
WBZ—Vocal trio.

8:00 P. M.
WAAB—Gossipers.
WNAC—Rath Club.
WBZ—Old Gentlemen.
WEEI—Crumit and Sanderson.
WLOE—Recital.

8:15 P. M.
WAAB—Shamrock Band.
WNAC—Abe Lyman Band.
WBZ—Sanderson.

8:30 P. M.
WAAB—Four Clubmen.
WNAC—Billy Payne.
WBZ—Melody Speedway.
WEEI—Mary and Bob.

8:45 P. M.
WAAB—Ernest Hooton.
WNAC—Ed Sullivan.
WBZ—Jack of the Skillet.

9:00 P. M.
WAAB—Stewardson Orchestra.
WNAC—Ben Bernie music.
WBZ—Household Celebrities.
WEEI—Musical Magazine.

9:30 P. M.
WAAB—Organ.
WNAC—Crime Club.
WBZ—Great personalities.
WEEI—Rudy Vallee.

Karl Spicer, baritone; Mabel Jackson, soprano; Don Voorhees' orchestra.

Boston Stations

Kilocycles		Meters
1410	WAAB	213
1259	WNAC	244
990	WBZ	303
590	WEEI	509
1500	WLOE	200
850	WHDH	361
920	WBSO	326

WLOE—Dixie Serenaders.

10:00 P. M.
WAAB—Opera Miniatures.
WNAC—Sweet tones.
WBZ—Anti-Communist League.
WEEI—Dance orchestra.

10:15 P. M.
WNAC—La Paradis Band.
WBZ—Dixie Jubilee Singers.

10:30 P. M.
WAAB—Music that satisfies.
Nat Shilkret's orchestra, with Alex Gray, baritone.
WNAC—Solomon Orchestra.
WBZ—Paris Night Life.

10:45 P. M.
WAAB—Jack Miller music.
WBZ—Hoofers.

11:00 P. M.
WAAB—News.
WNAC—Organ.
WBZ—Sports review.
WEEI—11:30 P. M. news.

11:15 P. M.
WAAB—Barlow concert.
WNAC—Contract Bridge Standing.
WBZ—Reisman Orchestra.
WEEI—Mickey Alpert music.

11:30 P. M.
WAAB—Olsen Orchestra.
WNAC—Dance Orchestra.

12:00 MID.
WNAC—Gus Arnheim music.
WBZ—Organ.

12:30 A. M.
WNAC—Slagle's orchestra.

1:00 A. M.
WNAC—Martin's Orchestra.

1:30 A. M.
WNAC—Dance music to 2 a. m.

Letters Indicate Listeners' Likes

On the Air

Radio artists are complaining of the depression. In fact, many of them feel the lack of funds so badly they're returning to their old trades of loafing, vice-presidenting and ditch and gold digging.

To artists who need help keep together the professions, here are suggestive means for the artists to go out and "get the long green."

Instead of fan letters to the talent, an'cers could ask list'rs to send in grapefruit, big squash, caviar, pate de gras spinach, onions and filet mignon. That would cover their food problem.

Rather than steal songs and styles from other entertainers, the alleged talent might find it less involving and more profitable to rob banks.

Crooners—and when you say crooners you mean the best (or is it the worst?) part of the folks in radio—could improve their waning incomes by getting paid for endorsements. Of this sort, y'know: "I became hoarse last night by using the wrong type snuff. Now I inhale Smoothtex and my throat is slowly but successfully returning to normalcy."

Sound effects in radio drama? are very expensive. Some soprano could save the stations lots and make plenty themselves by subbing for the sound effects. No use can impersonate a baby howl, a train whistle or a fire engine siren better than a soprano.

However, if the artists don't care for these suggestions let 'em go back to their old professions and work for a living.

RUDY VALLEE will not be heard on the 2 p.m. tour of 7 and March 3. Don't be scared; he's only on vacation and will be back the 10th. Ray Perkins will carry on in his customary faultless fashion. Ray, by the way, is quite a modest chap who can't be convinced he's a topnotch b'doester. But 50 million list'rs can't be wrong . . . The KUKU p'gram will be shifted to a spot nearer the end. B'dcasters will meet Al Jolson's $ demands so watch for his series.

BEATRICE LILLIE, famous English-American love and marriage advisor, starts a 4-a-wk. series over WBZ at 10:30 tomorrow . . . Bob Pierce has signed with WNAC for a yr.., WEEI'S hostess, Doris Estey (with Stebbins Boys) is to marriage some time in May . . . Nancy (WNAC) Howe's voice sounds better than ever, result of eliminating smoking two packs a day . . . A Chicago spy writes in to say when Phil Spitalny's ork for Paul Whiteman, the contract is a regular book. Seems Paul is careful now that he's made and lost Bing Crosby, the Rhythm Boys, Jane Froman, the Kings Jesters and a score more . . . And a strict slap for the local station that withholds the name of the singer who they'll swell up and howl for more money.

M. G. M.

Birth—Marriage—Death Notices

In this column $1.00 for the first four lines or less. 25c each additional line. Notices may be mailed to the Classified Dept., or telephoned to Liberty 4000.

Deaths

ADAMS—In Milton, Feb. 14, Margaret G., widow of Dr. Daniel F. Adams, in her 88th year. Services at R. & K. F. Gwynn's Sons, 535 Washington st., Dorchester, Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

BOLSTER—In Worcester, Feb. 12, Maude (nee Doherty), beloved wife of Harold Bolster, formerly of Somerville. Funeral from the chapel of J. Russell Bond, 122 Highland st., Worcester, Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 2 p. m. Burial at Glenwood Cemetery. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

BRAZILL—In Dorchester, Feb. 14, Christine A. (nee Chisholm), beloved wife of Joseph L. Brazill. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to home, 82 Wellington st., Dorchester, on St. Mary's of the Assumption Church, Wednesday morning, Feb. 17, at 9 o'clock. Interment at Provincetown, Mass.

BURNS—In Dorchester, Feb. 13, Margaret, daughter of the late John and Mary Mitchell (nee Doherty). Funeral Friday from the home of her niece, Mrs. William Shay, 31 Richmond st., at 9:15 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Peter's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment at Od Calvary Cemetery.

CHAMBERLAIN—In West Medford, Feb. 15, William Crawley, Age 74 years. Funeral services at his late residence, 2 Summer st., West Medford, Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 2 p. m.

DIBBLEE—In Boston, Feb. 14, Margaret, wife of Milton M. Dibblee of 10 Wareham st., South Boston. Funeral services at the Chapel of David Fulton & Son, 51 Dartmouth st., Monday morning, Tuesday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

DICKER—In East Boston, Feb. 15, Harriet E., widow of William Decker, residence, 82 Marion st. Services at the Unitarian Church of Our Father, 85 Marion st., Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Please omit flowers.

FANNING—In Roxbury, Feb. 14, Mary A., beloved wife of Michael J. Fanning. Funeral from her late residence, 3 Devon Ave. (S. Wegneedy), Feb. 17, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Solemn high mass in St. Mission Church at 9:30. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Mount Hope.

FITZPATRICK—In South Boston, Feb. 13, Benjamin J., beloved husband of the late Mary A. (Sullivan) Fitzpatrick. Funeral from his late home, 44A Broadway, Thursday, Feb. 18, at 8. Solemn high mass at St. Augustine's Church at 9:45. Relatives and friends invited.

GLEASON—In East Boston, Feb. 13, Charles H., beloved son of the late Daniel J. and Mary A. Gleason (nee Roney), age 43 years. Funeral from residence, 3 Lexington Ave. (S. Wegneedy), Feb. 17, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Solemn high mass in St. Mission Church at 9:30. Relatives and friends invited. Please omit flowers.

HOKANSON—In Boston, Feb. 14, Marcus Hokanson, aged 55 years, beloved husband of Ida M. (Anderson) Hokanson, 1332 West Adams st., West Somerville. Funeral from the late residence Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

HUBLEY—In South Boston, suddenly, Feb. 13, Timothy J., beloved husband of Jennie M. Hurley (nee Norton). Funeral from his late home, 16 Winfield st., on Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 9 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at Gate of Heaven Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

ILLINGWORTH—In South Boston, Feb. 13, Ella M. Flynn Illingworth, beloved wife of Edward Illingworth. Funeral from her late home, 249 Emerson st., Tuesday, at 10:15. High mass of requiem at the Gate of Heaven Church at 11 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

KENNEY—In Boston, Feb. 12, Kirkwood, beloved husband of Mary (Kirkwood) of John J. Connolly, 1409 Washington st., Boston, aged 57 years. He was a veteran in the Unfinished of the Holy Cross at 9:45. Friends may call. Private services. Member of Boston Proofreaders' Association and Ancient Order of Hibernians.

MacNAB—In Braintree, Feb. 13, Lawrence J. MacNab, aged 39 years. Funeral services at his late home, 26 West Elm st., Braintree, Thursday, Feb. 18, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Services at his home, 774 Columbus Ave., Frederick O. Bunker of Universalist Church officiating. Burial in Alta, 21st. Funeral services at the Waterman & Wheeler Co., Somerville, 21, Roxbury, Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 1 p. m.

REMONDINI—In Boston, Feb. 14, Vitalanda, 18 years, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stefano Remondini. Funeral from the parents' residence, 324 Bennington st., Wednesday, Feb. 17, at 9 a. m. Solemn requiem high mass at the St. Lazarus Church at 10 o'clock. Interment at Holyhood Cemetery. Friends invited.

ROBERTS—In Brighton, Feb. 14, Margaret, widow of Michael O'Brien. Funeral from her late residence, 94 Allston st., Wednesday, Feb. 17, at 8:15 a. m. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Columbkille's Church, Market st., at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited. Interment at Plymouth, Mass.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1932

Congress Sees Light of Sales Tax Facts

Good news for the whole country is the decision of the Congress to resort to a general manufactures sales tax to assist the Government in balancing the budget by 1933.

The fact that this announcement to the House by Congressman Crisp, of Georgia, acting Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, was greeted by loud cheers seems to show that under the able leadership of Speaker Garner the popular branch of Congress is developing the courage to face the facts and the wisdom to legislate in the light of the facts.

All that Judge Crisp says in support of the proposed general manufactures sales tax corroborates the arguments of the Hearst newspapers in favor of profiting by the experience of Canada and other countries that have put this system to the test.

In addition to Canada, approximately thirty other countries have found a general tax of this nature acceptable to the public, easy to administer and productive of large revenues when well administered—revenues not subject to extreme fluctuation.

This general sales tax is an important part of the tax system of the chief European countries except Great Britain.

Nine States of the Union and two territories impose a sales tax in some form or other.

And no less eminent an authority on taxation than Doctor Thomas S. Adams, of Yale University, reports to Congress that the heads of the tax system of the important nations of the world **"all think that a sales tax is practical."**

Experience proves that a sales tax is not only practical but that it is also equitable, and as nearly painless as any tax can be.

In turning to the sales tax Congress is following the dictates of common sense and profiting by the experience of Canada and other progressive countries that are now raising revenue by this easiest, most economical and least burdensome method of taxation.

P. O. Men Ask Work

The postal employes of Boston have made a dignified request that work be supplied the substitute clerks. With the Christmas-New Year rush subsided, they find their hours of employment reduced and their income diminished. They want neither a dole nor public charity. They ask only for the chance to earn a living. The American workman is not a beggar. If he has been forced into the charity class it has been by stupid politicians and harsh employers who have no regard for his innate dignity. He will rebuke these politicians when the next elections come.

Auto Accidents Down

It is refreshing to read at last that automobile accidents and fatalities have begun to show a downward trend. There were fewer deaths last week than in any corresponding period in many years. The serious storm, with highways filled with ice and slush, seems to have brought a spirit of caution to the autoists. If they were cautious yesterday, they can be cautious today and tomorrow. Let this self-restraint continue. There is not a human life in Massachusetts too insignificant to be sacrificed to wanton recklessness. Now that the record has begun to improve, keep it bright.

Children Love Him

Rt. Rev. Mgr. John W. McMahon, pastor of St. Mary's Church, observed his 85th birthday in Charlestown, the community in which he was born. The children of the school sent him a tribute of their affection, and he spent most of the day as usual ministering to the poor and afflicted among his parishioners. Any man who receives the admiration of children and the veneration and respect of the humble can count himself fortunate indeed.

By Edgar A. Guest

Just Folks

The Two Spirits

In each of us two souls there are,
And one is weak and one is strong.
And day by day along life's way
All men are torn 'twixt right and wrong:
Temptation is a subtle thing.
With varying lures it leads us on,
All roads it fares to set its snares,
But right must travel only one.

Some sneer at those to drink a prey,
Yet they themselves are sore beset.
The bravest men find moments when
Their finer instincts they forget.
For, tempted by the joy they crave
Of selfish gain or selfish pride,
They, too, will race to what is base
And push the struggling right aside.

For money some do shameful things
Within the precincts of the law,
With no regard for bargains hard,
They'll fight for gain with tooth and claw.
Not all the failures to be fine
Are caused by open scarlet sin,
Men bitter grow, their power to show,
And sometimes break their word to win.

The right must struggle 'gainst the odds,
Temptation strikes with subtle skill,
And if the conscience merely nods,
Man's baser nature works its will.
In each of us two spirits dwell
And one is dark and one is fair,
And man must fight for what is right,
Or wrong will catch him unaware.

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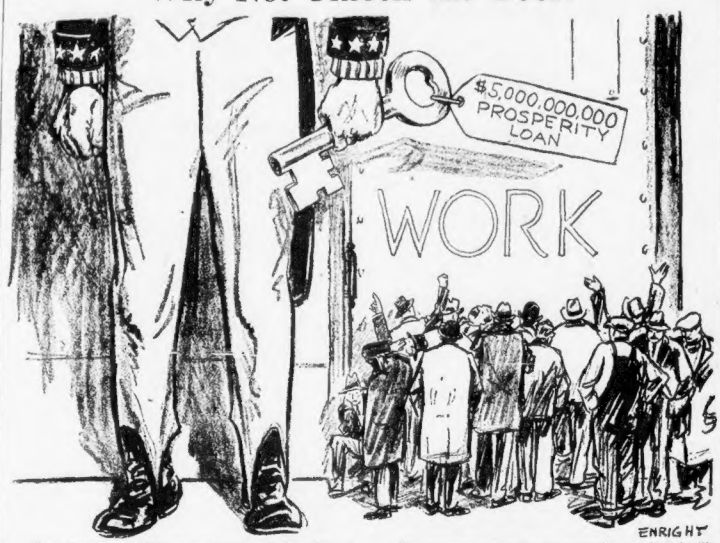
Why Not Unlock the Door?



More than eight million unemployed, suffering, through no fault of their own in a Land of Plenty, daily cry to the Head Servants at Washington for **WORK** and they are handed **WORDS.**

After three years of futile waiting for Washington to act, the jobless feel keenly the pinch of poverty, but their pleas, **NOT FOR A DOLE, NOT FOR CHARITY, BUT FOR THE RIGHT TO WORK,** procure for them only sonorous phrases, and no matter how sonorous, phrases do not appease the pangs of hunger.

Europe's woes worry the Administration greatly; the ills of the folks at home concern it not.

A $5,000,000,000 Prosperity Loan to finance a gigantic scheme of essential public works is the key that would unlock the barrier now standing between **WILLING WORKERS** and **WORK.** Create jobs for the jobless and the buying power of the masses would be increased, business would steadily improve, all classes would benefit and the cycle would start upward.

Why cannot this Administration for once be American minded and for America?

Old Joke, New Version

VERE ISS MY LIDDLE DOG GONE?
I WONDER WHERE MY LITTLE DOG "EASY" IS! I HOPE HE HASNT RUN AWAY: I'D HATE TO LOSE HIM!
MILLIONS OF PROFITS FROM DEFAULTED FOREIGN BONDS
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New York Day by Day -:- By O. O. McIntyre

River Troupers

NEW YORK, Feb. 16—John Golden added spice to the season's theatrical dish by turning his cozy playhouse over to that group of valiant show boat troupers from the mud flats. For those from the tall grass, brought up on show boat fare, it was a memorable first night, a gallant sortie.

The only thing lacking was a calliope. For 40 years, Billy Bryant and his father, Sam, now 76, paddled up and down the Ohio. In that time they wore out three show boats. Billy married during his wanderings and his wife, Josephine, and daughter, Betty, 7, are in the company.

Not one ever appeared in New York before. Indeed, save for a recent stay in Cincinnati and Chicago, their world has been a pleasant drifting from one jay hamlet to the next, season after season. They wouldn't even hesitate at cities for mail.

Had they realized they were to face such a distinguished first night audience, Billy Bryant, in a charmingly naive curtain speech, confessed they would have fled. He warned after the first act the performance would get worse and worse. And added: "You better go now."

Yet his speech had a quality of disarming frankness that completely captivated the stiff shirts and ermine coats. For instance: "If you think this is rotten, you should see our Hamlet." He confessed they were all "hams" scared stiff and praying not to exit out of town astraddle a rail.

But Broadway is so used to boasting thespians, the engaging about face filled the theater with cheers. Scenery and costumes were tawdry, the lines mawkish, but there was about them a refreshing sincerity—a clean breath of the forgotten marshlands whence they came.

Among those contributing to the applause were the Charles Dana Gibsons, the Roy Howards, Rube Goldbergs, Dudley Field Malones, Bull and Steve Brody, Fannie Hurst, Gene Tunney, the Bruce Bartons, Irvin Cobb, James Montgomery Flagg and the Gene Buckes. Certainly a galaxy to inspire even a Barrymore.

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The Bryants are rooted in the pioneer soil of the medicine show. While Billy's father mixed corn salve and ballyhooed electric belts, the son twanged the banjo on the portable platform and so in a prairie schooner they made "pitches" through Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas. Sam, the elder Bryant, built his first show boat 40 years ago at Pt. Pleasant, W. Va., four miles from my boyhood home, Gallipolis, O., on the opposite side of the Ohio. For 30 years he moored at Gallipolis levee each summer and under a flaring banjo torch herded timid yaps into the show with a deft and dulcet tallyho.

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They are humble folks—these river troubadours. For 25 years the present company has bivouacked along the bayous without change of personnel. Temperamental tantrums peculiar to the footlights are unknown. A leading man may play the tuba in the overture and hawk postcards as the audience departs.

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A touch of their innocent bravado was expressed at the premiere. After the first act, the celebrity audience was asked to the stage to meet the performers and partake of free near beer and pretzels at the bar of the Sickle and Sheaf Inn—the play was "Ten Nights in a Barroom." Not a notable hesitated. The most experienced masters of ceremony could not turn such a trick. They touched glasses with Simon Slade, the landlord; Mehitable Cartright, who never had a beau; Willie Hammond, the Judge's son; Joe Morgan, the drunkard, and Mary Morgan, the drunkard's daughter—all in costume. Shyly, the forks-of-the-creek performers found the gathering of aristocratic New Yorkers fitting that bosomy adjective of the forlorn hollows—"folksy." The river folk brought to sophisticates with compelling clearness that certain, ineffable beauty of simplicity.

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I experienced especial tingling over Vic Faust's olio rendition of "Liberty Bell March" on Swiss hand bells and a raffish nightingale singing "Only a Bird in a Gilded Cage." And when Paul Robinson played "Over the Waves" on the harmonica with variations, I understood why the puckish Roy Howard touched my shoulder and whispered: "I'd rather do that than try to run a flock of newspapers." Most of us felt that way.

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Speaking of poor shows, Hal Skelly tells of one so lousy they would not accept it at Cain's warehouse until they rewrote the third act.

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Wise Sayings

Now hatred is by far the longest pleasure,
Men love in haste but they detest at leisure.
—Byron.

He who decides a case without hearing the other side, though he decide justly, cannot be considered just.
—Seneca.

Daily Bible Text—*"Trust ye in the Lord for ever. For the Lord Jehovah is everlasting strength."—Isaiah, ch. XXVI, v. 4.*

By the Rev. John E. Whitley, Second Congregational Church, Winchester. Next text by the Rev. T. F. Marshall, Trinity Church, Stoughton.

'The Common People, the Vulgar, the Mob'

By Claude G. Bowers

Author of "The Struggle for Democracy in America," "Founders of the Republic," "Jefferson and Democracy," "The Tragic Era" and other important works, now writing for The Boston Evening American.

THERE ARE PROBABLY from twenty to twenty-five million men, women and children in America who are in dire distress with millions of them threatened with starvation. Private charity has collapsed—why deceive ourselves?

After the President's emergency drive for contributions, with much beating of the drums, the fact remains that but 30 per cent of all the money that has been used to prevent starvation has come from the pockets of individuals. The 70 per cent has come from local treasuries—State, county, municipal.

Everyone knows that many, if not most, of the city governments have reached the end of their resources.

And conditions, as far as hungry, shivering, women and children are concerned, are worse today than ever.

With this in mind, we read the debate in the Senate between Senators Fess and Borah on the plan to give assistance to the hungry from the Federal Treasury. Perhaps it is just as well that these millions who are threatened with starvation will never read that discussion; just as well that they did not hear from Senator Fess the expression of the feeling of the National Administration. Never have we read anything so steeped in sophistry and so cruelly cold toward suffering.

When women were starving in Paris and crying for bread, Marie Antoinette asked why they did not eat cake; when the people of Ireland were starving in the famine of '48 the then Duke of York suggested that a nutritious food could be made of the dried leaves of the forest; and now Senator Fess has spoken for the Administration. A tragic trio.

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It Is the Old, Old Story

Much was said against taking money from the Treasury to feed the hungry.

Nothing was said of the fact that money has been taken from the Treasury to feed the hungry of Europe.

But something was said of taking money from the Treasury to help the banks and the great corporations—something we have done.

Senator Fess and the Administration find their souls shaken at the thought of such an unusual proceeding as furnishing money from the Treasury to keep the bodies and souls of millions of women and children together, but both thought it wise, regardless of the unusual proceeding, to take money from the Treasury to take care of private business.

Borah said:

"The Government of the United States has no authority in the world to negotiate private loans for the benefit of private corporations; there is not the slightest authority for it. The Senator cannot find any authority for the Reconstruction Finance Corporation law except in the law of dictatorship or of Soviet Russia."

But because of the solemnity of the crisis, Borah does not object to these loans for the benefit of private corporations, while Fess and the Administration, anxious to "go red" for private corporations, are unwilling to do the unusual, which would be improper under ordinarily normal conditions, to prevent the starvation of the millions.

It is the old, old story: Some people think primarily in terms of money, and others in terms of humanity.

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Borah's Answer to Senator Fess

It is just as well that the millions, who, through no fault of their own, are fighting against starvation, will not read the Fess - Administration speech Mr. Fess spoke of the function of our government as that of "preserving the liberty and keeping open the opportunity" of the people; and one would imagine that opportunity has been kept open when 8,000,000 breadwinners are denied their inalienable right to work. And then he added that "the Government is organized and conducted to protect individuals in their rights and not to support them"—as though they had been protected in their rights.

But Borah answered:

"Why did not the Senator say to the banks and corporations who were on the verge of failure: "Go back home; resuscitate your own frozen assets; take care of your own private business. . . . Therefore, you bankers and corporate interests, go back home and take care of your own business; this is a private affair; this is an individual affair."

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The Spokesman of the White House

There were other features of the debate that are interesting. When Fess harped on that blessed word "dole," and was asked by Borah to explain why money to prevent starvation from a city treasury is not a dole and money from the national treasury to meet a national crisis is a dole—he had no answer.

No one has answered that question.

No one can.

And there was another thing that startled us. Senator Fess spoke of these millions of jobless men who want work, and the millions of their dependents as potential vagabonds, loafers, beggars; because he said that if they are given bread to preserve their lives, they will not want to work again but will become chronic beggars. That is as brutal as anything we have ever heard or read—and as false and slanderous.

And Senator Fess spoke as the Chairman of the Republican National Committee and spokesman of the White House.

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"Populace"—What Does It Mean?

The debate was interesting to students of history and government in many ways. It revealed, in a few illuminating expressions from Senator Fess, why, under the ruling forces just now, a mockery is being made of the pretension that we have a democracy in America.

Thus, when there were murmurs of approval for Borah in the gallery, Fess contemptuously referred to the masses of the people as the "populace." Most illuminating word, coming from the spokesman of the Administration! It is a word often on the lips of the kings and tyrants in the old days; it was a favorite word with the American Federalists before the American people hurled them from power, and, in the election of Jefferson, according to Henry Cabot Lodge, "definitely determined that this should be a democratic republic."

"Populace"—what does it mean? What did Fess, speaking for the Administration, mean? It means, to quote Webster, **"the common people, the vulgar, the multitude, the mob."**

And then Fess and Borah disagreed on the relation of government to the people, and this is revealing also. One took the position that the people are the servants of government, and Borah that government is the servant of the people. That is the difference between autocracy, or plutocracy, and democracy.

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Up Against the Guns of Tragedy

No one has opposed the granting of help to banks, railroads and private corporations; not that we want to adopt such a grant as a policy, but because we are right up against the guns of tragedy.

No one would favor feeding citizens out of the Federal treasury as a policy, but millions of human beings are right up against the guns.

We do not haggle and grow argumentative over helping the banks and corporations; why haggle and split terms when children actually are starving?

We have taken care of moneys why not some thought for men?

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